CMYK Pratul Mukhopadhyay was paid last respects with full state honours

Veteran Bengali singer and composer PratulMukhopadhyay, best known for his iconic song "Ami BanglayGaanGai," passed away on Saturday morning at SSKM Hospital. He was 82. Mukhopadhyay, a revered figure in Bengal's cultural and socio-political landscape, had been suffering from rectal cancer and later developed severe infections that led to his demise. West Bengal Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee, who had personally visited Mukhopadhyay at the hospital just days before his passing, expressed her deep sorrow. PG 3



Rs. 3 KOLKATA SUNDAY, 16 FEBRUARY, 2025 PG-8, YEAR--11, ISSUE-257 (RN NO.: WBENG / 2014 / 56803) WEBSITE: WWW.LIVETTV.COM

US Director of National Intelligence Gabbard says it is an Honour to welcome PM Modi

MI News Service, Washington (DC) : The new US Director of National Intelligence (DNI) Tulsi Gabbard has described that it was an "honour" to welcome Prime Minister Narendra Modi in the US once again, and said she was looking forward to further strengthening the friendship be-tween the two great nations.

Hindu-American Gabbard met Modi on his arrival in the US capital on a two day visit for a bilateral meeting with President Donald Trump. "It was an honour to welcome India's Prime Minister @narendramodi back to the United States, and look forward to continuing to strengthen the US-India friendship," Gabbard posted on X. Modi, after he met with Gabbard, also praised her as a "strong votary" of India-US ties. "Met USA's Director of National Intelligence, @TulsiGabbard, in Washington DC. Congratulated her on her confirmation. Discussed various aspects of the India-USA friend-

10 Maha Kumbh

devotees killed in

car-bus crash on

them sources said



ship, of which she's always been a strong votary," Modi posted on Wednesday. The Hindu-American Gabbard met PM Modi shortly after he arrived in the US on Wednesday for a bilateral

meeting with President Donald Trump. During his visit, the prime minister focused discussions on enhancing intelligence cooperation, particularly in counter-terrorism, cybersecurity,

and emerging threats. Attorney General Pam Bondi administered the oath of office to 42 year old Gabbard, who Trump called "an American of extraordinary courage and patriotism." He

noted that she was deployed three times in the Army National Guard and that she is a former Democratic congresswoman, riffing "Can you believe that?" Gabbard, a former young Democratic congresswoman from Hawaii, had faced bipartisan scepticism about her suitability for overseeing the spy agencies. Gabbard thanked the president for his trust in her and vowed to refocus our intelligence community" after she was sworn in. "Unfortunately, the American people have very little trust in the intelligence community, largely because they've seen the weaponization and politicisation of an entity that is supposed to be purely focused on ensuring our national security," the new intelligence chief said. The Senate confirmed her in

a 52-48 vote, following two months of deliberations in the over whether Gabbard is qualified enough to lead the intelligence agencies and prepare Trump's daily intelligence brief.

US aircraft carrying 119 more deportees landed in Amritsar



MI News Service, Chandigarh: A huge US military aircraft carrying 119 more illegal Indian immigrants from the US landed at the Amritsar airport on Saturday night. This second batch of Indian nationals have been deported by the Donald Trump administration as part of its promised crackdown on illegal migra-tion. They were forced to have come back to the country for not having any country for not having any legal documents for staying in the US. The direct flight from Houston, Texas landed at the airport here at around 10-20 pm on Satur-day, official sources said adding among the 119 de-portees, 100 are from Punjab and Haryana alone. While 67 are from Punjab and 33 from Haryana, eight from Gujarat, three from Uttar Pradesh, two each from Goa, Maharashtra and Rajasthan, and one each from Himachal Pradesh and Jammu and Kashmir. Another flight carrying

another batch of deportees is also expected on February 16. Earlier on February 5, a C-17 military aircraft of the US Airforce with 104 Indians landed in Amritsar, largely with passengers from Punjab, Gujarat and Harvana. Sources said the second

group of deportees, unlike

those on the first flight,

Foreign Secretary Vikram Misri "They committed to streamlining avenues for legal mobility of students and professionals and facilitating short-term tourist and business travel, while also committing to aggressively addressing and tackling illegal immigration and human trafficking. There is a commitment from both sides to take decisive action against elements that threaten public and diplomatic safety and security, as well as the sovereignty and territorial integrity of both nations. There is a commitment to strengthen law enforcement in this regard. especially significant from our perspective given some events that have taken place.'

with the US government. On

the first flight, most of the

deportees had taken the il-

legal "dunkey" route to

enter the US. Many had un-

dertaken journeys lasting

months after paying huge

agents. Ever since their re-

turn, the Punjab and

Haryana governments have

arrested many such agents. During Prime Minister

Narendra Modi's two day

visit to the US, the issue of

illegal immigration was dis-

cussed with President Don-

ald Trump on Friday.

Meanwhile, according to

sums

to unscrupulous

However, senior Con-

Mamata hails SSKM Hospital's record-breaking surgical feat Prayagraj highway

Mi News Service, Prayagraj MI News Service, Kolkata: The city's premium government run SSKM Hospital has set a remark-:At least 10 devotees from Chhattisgarh traveling to the Maha Kumbh Mela in Uttar able record by successfully per-Pradesh's Prayagraj, died forming nearly 200 surgeries in after their Bolero car coljust five days. A dedicated team lided with a bus on the of 15 doctors worked tirelessly to Mirzapur-Prayagraj high-way early on Saturday. The clear a growing backlog of surgical cases, achieving an unprecedented feat in Indian medical crash, which took place well after midnight, also left 19 history. On Saturday, Chief Minisothers injured, several of ter Mamata Banerjee praised the seriously, official achievement, emphasizing the efficiency and infrastructure of gov-The devotees, all from ernment hospitals in West Bengal. She took to Twitter to congratulate Korba, Chhattisgarh, were traveling to the Sangam for the medical team, stating: "Glad to a holy dip. The bus involved in the collision also carried inform that our very own apex-level Government facility in Kolkata, SSKM Hospital, has crepilgrims from Rajgarh, Madhya Pradesh. "Ten people ated a record by performing 175



All these surgeries were successful, and these were in addition to the usual operations in the hospital. During these 5 days from Monday to Friday, there were 390



across the country to adopt similar mission-mode initiatives to clear pending cases. "I congratulate the SSKM authorities, doctors, nurses and staff, for this unprecedented feat. I also urge all hospitals to follow this model of mission-mode interventions to clear waiting-inthe-queue cases," she added. SSKM Hospital authorities stated that the number of patients **>>** Continued on page 3

awaiting surgery had significantly increased due to various reasons. Given the hospital's daily capacity, accommodating all pending cases was a challenge. To address this, doctors had decided to conduct multiple surgeries simultaneously, significantly reducing the patient backlog. Over the past five days, the hospital became a hub of re-lentless surgical activity, akin to a "surgical Kumbh Mela.

Led by Dr. Manimoy Bandy-opadhyay, Director of SSKM Hospital, Dr. Abhimanyu Basu, Head of the General Surgery Department, and Professor Dr. Dipten Sarkar, the team meticulously planned the operations. A structured roster ensured equal contribution from all doctors, allowing the surgeries to proceed smoothly

died after a car carrying devotees from Chhattisgarh to the Maha Kumbh collided with a bus. The accident occurred on the Prayagraj-Mirzapur highway around midnight. The bodies have been taken to Swaroop Rani Medical Hospital for postmortem. Further investigation is on," Prayagraj Additional SP Vivek Chandra Yadav said. President Droupadi Murmu has condoled the deaths of ten Mahakumbh devotees in a road accident on the Mirzapur . Taking to social media X, the President wrote, "The news of the death of so many people in a road accident on Mirzapur Highway in Prayagraj, Úttar Pradesh is unfortunate. I express my condolences to the families of the deceased. I wish for the speedy recovery of all those injured." .Chief minister Jogi Adityanath also expressed his condolences at the road accident and wished speedy recovery to the injured. Uttar Pradesh Minister Yogi Chief Adityanath directed officials to reach the accident site and ensure that relief and rescue efforts were carried out. He also instructed authorities to provide best medical treatment to the injured. The state administration is monitoring road safety measures, especially during the Maha Kumbh Mela, which has seen millions of devotees arriving in Prayagraj. This crash is one of several accidents involving devotees traveling to and from the Maha Kumbh. The large number of pilgrims, along with heavy traffic on highways leading to Prayagraj, has led to multiple road mishaps. On Tuesday, seven devotees from Andhra Pradesh died when their tempo traveller collided with a truck on a high

was a mission-mode endeavour to clear the backlog of gallbladder cases and to demonstrate what our doctors can achieve when they work in unison with dedication! Jaishankar meets Ukrainian

waiting-in-the-queue gallbladder

surgeries in just five days! This

other major surgical cases in addition to those 175 special drive cases." The Chief Minister lauded the doctors, nurses, and hospital staff for their unwavering dedication and urged other hospitals

and efficiently. Despite public holidays on Thursday and Friday, SSKM's surgical team remained at work, prioritizing patient care

were not be in chains. The Centre had faced criticism over the treatment of passengers on the first flight as all passengers in that flight were chained and not even allowed to use the wash rooms freely. The alleged "dehumanisation" of the deportees had led to pandemonium in Parliament, and the External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar had promised to take up the issue

leader Chi dambaram on Saturday said that the arrival of a second US aircraft carrying Indian citizens allegedly involved in illegal migration would be a "test" for Indian diplomacy. In a post on X, Chidambaram said, "All eyes will be on the US aircraft which will land today in Amritsar bringing back

►► Continued on page 3

'Sheesh Mahal' to be probed over renovation of 'lavish' bungalow after AAP's defeat

MI News Service, New Delhi : The Central Vigilance Commission (CVC) has directed the Public Works Department of Delhi government to conduct a detailed probe into the alleged merger of properties to build the 6, Flagstaff Road bungalow and the expenditures incurred on its interiors . The bungalow labelled as "Sheesh Mahal" by the BJP for alleged corruption was occupied by Arvind Kejriwal as the chief minister of Delhi from 2015 till the first week of October last year. However, no immediate reaction was available from the Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) or its convenor Kejriwal on the matter. In mounting trouble for former Delhi chief minister Arvind Kejriwal, the CVC has asked the Central Pub-Works Department lic (CPWD) to conduct an inquiry into allegations of irregularities in the construction and renovation of his ministerial residence during his tenure in office. The bungalow which the BJP refers as a "Sheesh

Mahal" and both Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Union Home Minister Amit Shah have frequently raised the issue in their speeches in Civil Lines had been allotted to Kejriwal in 2015 and is owned by the Delhi government's Public Works Department.

On October 14, 2024, incoming BJP MLA from Rohini Vijender Gupta, who was the Leader of the Opposition in the Delhi Legislative Assembly then, had filed a complaint with the CVC alleging illegal construction at the property. Gupta had alleged that Kejriwal had flouted building regulations to construct a "lavish mansion" covering eight acres and that other government properties on the adjacent Rajpur Road, which previously housed senior officers and judges in Type-V flats as well as two bungalows were demolished and merged into the new residence, violating ground coverage and floor area ratio (FAR)

►► Continued on page 3

Foreign minister on sidelines of **Munich Security Conference** Cmsc eral world leaders and

MI News Service, Munich (Germany): External Affairs Minister S. Jaishankar met his Ukrainian counterpart Andrii Svbiha on the sidelines of the ongoing Munich Security Conference on Saturday and discussed the early resolution of the Ukraine conflict following the possibility of a peace talks with direct involvement of the USA, as suggested by President Donald Trump.

Good to meet FM Andrii Sybiha of Ukraine on the sidelines of #MSC2025 today. Discussed ongoing efforts towards the early resolution of the Ukraine conflict through a peace talks. Also spoke about further advancement of our bilateral cooperation," Jaishankar said on X. The minister, who is here to attend the Munich Security Conference 2025, met sev-

joined Norway PM Jonas Gahr Store, Michigan Senator Elissa Slotkin, and Warsaw Trzaskowski in a panel discussion on 'Live to Vote Another Democratic Resilience' at the event. After the bilateral meeting Ukrainian Minister Andry Sybiha expressed his gratitude to EAM Jaishankar for their "meaning-

ful meeting," and emphasised a shared interest in advancing cooperation with India across various sectors, including trade, technology, agricul-ture, and security. During their interaction Jaishankar and Sybiha also discussed ongoing efforts at different level including one by the US President Donald Trump towards an early and

►► Continued on page 3

Mavor

Day:

Rafal

Fortifying

India needs clear vision for new tech, not empty words, remarks Rahul Gandhi

MI News Service, New Delhi : Congress leader Rahul Gandhi has emphasised the need for developing a strong production base in the country, and "not empty words", as India has got enough talent to become an industrial prowess in new technology, ensuring more jobs for the youth. In a post on X on Satur-

day, the leader of Opposition in the Lok Sabha highlighted how China has started producing drones which are revolutionising warfare across the world, saying India needs to develop a strategy to become competitive in this area. "Drones have revolutionised warfare, combining batteries, motors and optics to manoeuver and communicate on the battlefield in unprecedented ways. But drones are not just one technology -- they are bottom-up innovations produced by a strong industrial system", he said.

Criticising Prime minister Narendra Modi for allegedly not being able to realise the urgency of the matter Rahul Gandhi said "Unfortunately, PM Modi has failed to grasp this. While he delivers 'teleprompter' speeches on AI, our competitors are mastering new technologies. India needs a strong production base not empty words," he said in the post,



once again taking a swipe at the Prime Minister "India has immense talent, scale and drive. We must have a clear vision and build real industrial prowess to give our youth jobs and lead India into the future," Gandhi added. The Congress leader also tagged a nine-minute video on drone technology with the post, saying India has the talent and engineering skills to develop such technology for the future. Meanwhile, according to official sources, in the midst of the present era of drones, the cuttingedge breakthroughs in drone technologies are simply the most important tech development, cutting across Military-Civil Technology Fusion (MCTF). Now, the leading militaries are rushing to redefine the capability architecture and reshape the military doctrines. It is estimated that in India, the

drones UAVs, Unmanned Aerial Systems and Remotely Piloted Aircraft (RPA) industry will be a ₹5,000-crore sector by 2026. Presently, there are 270 drone start-ups in India and the country will become a global drone hub by 2030. The Indian drone industry led by startups and Micro Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) is growing in sheer numbers. Interestingly, drone startups dominate the overall defence startups in India in terms of number of entities.

However, very few have the requisite technologies to match the rigour of qualitative requirements set out by the armed forces. So largely, at this stage, it is about the potential to outperform other sectors and transform into an innovation and Intellectual Property (IP)--led

►► Continued on page 3

►► Continued on page 3

Morning India

For TV, Epaper & News visit: www.live7tv.com



Bengal

17 injured as mini truck overturns in Malda after holy dip in Jharkhand

MI News Service, Malda: At least 17 persons returning after the holy dip in the Ganga in Jharkhand were injured when their mini truck overturned in Malda district on Friday. The accioccurred dent

Damodarpur on the Malda-Manikchak state highway under the jurisdiction of Englishbazar police station around 10.30am. Sources said around 20 people from Habibpur block of the Malda district had gone to Rajmahal in Jharkhand to take the holy dip in the Ganga.

After the accident, local people rushed for help. The injured were sent to the Malda Medical College and Hospital. Of the injured, two are in critical condition, said sources. Later in the day, Joel Murmu, the BJP MLA of Habibpur, and Krishnendu Narayan Choudhury, the chairman of the English-bazar municipality who also heads the Rogi Kalyan Samiti at the medical college, met the injured. Police have seized the vehicle and initiated an inquiry. In another incident, a brick-laden truck heading towards Chanchal from Harishchandrapur overturned in the Bottala area of Malda on Friday. Police have detained the truck and the driver.

Car knocks down gaur on NH17, driver hurt

MI News Service, Siliguri: A gaur (Indian bison) died on NH17 near Panjhora, Nagrakata block, in Jalpaiguri on Friday morning after it was hit by a private car. The car also suffered damages and the driver sustained critical injuries. Sources said Ishan Urmia, from the Rheabari tea estate of Banarhat block, was driving his Maruti van from Samtse, Bhutan, to Bagdogra. While he was crossing the stretch near Panjhora – the Gorumara National Park and the Chapramari Wildlife Sanctuary on either side – a gaur walked onto the road. Urmia pulled the brakes but could not prevent the vehicle from hitting the gaur. The animal collapsed on the spot and died soon. The front portion of the car was mangled in the impact of the crash and the driver was rushed to the block health centre in Sulkapara. Later, he was shifted to the super-specialty hospital in Malbazar. "He has suffered a severe injury in his ribs. We have shifted him to Malbazar," said L K Bhaskar, a doctor posted at Sulkapara. Foresters of the Chalsa and Khunia forest range recovered the carcass and initiated a probe. "We have put signboards. There are speed breakers as it is a wildlife crossing zone. Even then, some drivers drive at high speeds while moving through the area. We have filed a specific case against the concerned driver. Drivers must act responsibly while moving through such areas," said Sajal Kumar Dey, the range officer of Khunia forest range. Anirban Majumdar, who has been working on the conservation of nature and wildlife in the Dooars, said the maximum speed limit for vehicles on that stretch is 30 kmph.

Siliguri road to be renamed after Rajbanshi icon Panchanan Barma

MI News Service, Siliguri: The Siliguri Municipal Corporation has de-cided to rename the Naukaghat More, a prominent crossing in the city, in memory of Thakur Panchanan Barma, the most revered statesman of the Rajbanshi community. Mayor Gautam Deb said on Friday that a proposal would be sent to the state government to rename the crossing. "We have decided to rename Naukaghat More in the name of Thakur Panchanan Barma as a mark of respect to him," said Deb, while attending the 160th birth anniversary celebration of Barma.

Panchanan Barma was an educationist and a social reformer. There is a statue of him at Naukaghat

More. On Friday, the mayor unveiled another statue of Barma in Leusipokhri, on the outskirts of Siliguri. The statue has been installed by the Darjeeling district committee of the Rajbanshi Kshatriya Samiti. Sources said the proposal to rename the Naukaghat More would be initially sent to the street naming committee of the SMC which comprises social workers, thespians and representatives of cultural organisations."Once the committee approves the recommendation, the proposal will be sent to the state government for final approval," said a source.

Such an initiative by the Trinamool-run civic board is being seen as yet another step by the party to draw the support of Rajbanshi voters. In north Bengal, votes of the Rajbanshi community decide the election results of around half of the 54 Assembly constituencies.

The entire Rajbanshi community has huge respect and sentiments for Panchanan Barma. Earlier, the state named a university in his name in Cooch Behar and also took the initiative to build a second campus of the varsity at his native village. Also, a state holiday has been declared on his birth anniversary," said a political observer. "Now the civic board here has come up with this proposal. It is evident that TMC is consistently putting impetus to draw the support of Rajbanshis," he added.

MI News Service, Kolkata:A Bangladeshi barge, 'Sea World', suffered significant damage after colliding with a riverbank in Muriganga, near Ghoramara Island in South

24 Parganas, on Thursday. The impact caused the barge to split in two, with a widening crack, releasing fly ash into the river water. This incident poses a substantial environmental risk, with concerns about widespread pollution and potential fish deaths.The district administration has alerted the Kolkata Port Authority, and the Indian agent of the barge has been instructed to take immediate action. However, there are conflicting ac-counts of the incident. The Bangladeshi sailors claim that the pilot boat failed to guide them, while the port



Abandoned by grandson,

85-year-old woman finally

reunited with family

gations, stating that the barge was being piloted along the correct path.Locals have raised concerns about decreased navigability due to lack of dredging, which may have con-tributed to the accident. They are demanding measures to prevent further pollution. Authorities are closely monitoring the situauthority denies these alleation to ensure the broken

MI News Service, Bongaon:

An 85-year-old woman,

who was abandoned by her

grandson on the roadside

two months ago, has finally

reunited with her family.

The heartbreaking incident

took place at the Jora Rasta

crossing on the Bongaon-

Chakdah Road in Gopalna-

gar police station area. The

elderly woman, identified as

Shimurali Palpara in Nadia

district, was rescued and

admitted to a hospital,

where she spent two

months before her family

was traced through ham

radio assistance.According

to police sources, Nirmala

Nirmala

Haldar from

Ash contaminates river

barge does not obstruct other vessels. This incident highlights the ongoing concerns about the environmental impact of barge traffic in the Sunderbans, including erosion and pollution . The National Green Tribunal has previously addressed similar incidents, emphasizing the need for measures to prevent such occurrences

Hasibul's Fight: Overcoming paralysis with hope and surgery

MI News Service, Kolkata: A spinal cord tumor had robbed Sheikh Hasibul of the ability to walk, leaving his left leg paralysed and his future uncertain. When I first met him at a #Sebaashray camp, his determination to fight against the odds was evident, and I knew we had to act.On February 10, he underwent a critical spinal surgery at Apollo Hospital, a procedure that would give him a second chance at life. Today, as I stood before him, watching his unfiltered joy and optimism, I felt an indescrib-able sense of fulfillment. I am confident that before long, Hasibul will embrace life with renewed strength.A special note of gratitude to the exceptional medical team whose skill and dedication turned this hope into reality. His journey is



embodies the spirit of Sebaashray,

more than just a personal victory, it where no battle is fought alone, and no dream is beyond reach.

Doctor show-caused for forcing patient's father to clean vomit at hosp

MI News Service, Nadia: The West Bengal Health Department has taken strict action against a doctor accused of forcing a patient's father to clean vomit at Shantipur State General Hospital. Dr. Sarkar, the accused doctor, has been served a showcause notice and must respond within 72 hours to a three-member inquiry committee investigating the incident.The controversy erupted last Friday when

Samir Shil, a resident of

Budget a dossier to hide Bengal's decline: CPM state secretary Md Salim

MI News Service, Kolkata: The CPM on Friday rolled

out numbers to describe the state budget presented in the Assembly on Wednesday as a "travesty of lies" and a dossier to hide the political and economic degradation of Bengal by claiming that the economy was on a path of revival. "We have seen that the (economic) reality is nowhere near of what is being said and projected in the budget. But the chief minister (Mamata Banerjee) and finance minister (Chandrima Bhattacharya) are making claims in the budget that are not supported by available statistics," CPM state secretary Md Salim said while addressing reporters in Calcutta on Fri-

Bengal's poor economic affairs, Salim came up with figures to show the real gap between what the budget

her grandson took her out "The previous budget on the pretext of a visit and left her stranded at the Jora Rasta crossing, instructing her to wait. Trusting him, she remained there for hours, but he never returned.Passersby noticed

spite her frail health, she gradually recovered over the two months she spent there.With no way to contact her family, hospital authorities sought help from ham radio operators to trace her relatives. After extensive efforts, members of the ham radio network successfully identified and contacted her family a few days ago. Upon receiving the news, Nirmala's son visited the hospital on Saturday, deeply remorseful for what had happened. He folded his hands in apology before his mother and took her back home. The incident has sparked outrage and concern in the local community. Residents expressed their shock over the grandson's act of abandoning his grandmother, questioning the values of today's generation. "It is heartbreaking to see a woman who raised her grandson with so much love being left to suffer like this," said a local resident.While Nirmala Haldar has now been reunited with her family, the painful episode highlights the vulnerability of elderly individ uals and the need for stronger societal awareness and family responsibility. Authorities have urged people to be vigilant and report such cases to ensure the safety and dignity of senior citizens.

Tanmoy

day. To depict the state of Haldar had been living with her younger son, Ananta Haldar, after the death of her husband. She had raised Ananta's son, caring for him since childhood. claims and the reality. However, two months ago,

had projected a growth rate of 7.6 per cent for 2023-24 but in reality, the figure is 6.1 per cent. The government in its budget this year has acknowledged that last year's projected figures were

may Niketan, reci timing their clarity of vi

PM Modi will be able to find solution to Bangladesh issue: Dilip Ghosh

After being referred from the Model Sebaashray Camp at Falta, 24 senior citizens have

successfully undergone cataract surgeries at Vivekananda Mission Asram Netra Nira-

MI News Service, Kharagpur: Following the remarks by US President Donald Trump that the new administration may not get involved in the Bangladesh crisis, BJP leader Dilip Ghosh expressed confidence that Prime Minister Narendra Modi would be able to find a solution to the crisis in Bangladesh.

Ghosh said, "We say that 'Modi hai to mumkin hai'. Even Trump believes in PM Narendra Modi. The way PM Modi is handling relations with India's neighbours and working for peace, people of the country are confident that PM Narendra Modi will be able to find a solution to Bangladesh issue. He further said that miscreants in Bangladesh are trying to disrupt peace along the border "I spoke to DIG BSF. He said that they are trying to solve the situation through dialogue and this would be resolved in few days," he added. Earlier Foreign Secretary Vikram Misri on Thursday said that PM Modi had shared concerns over the recent developments in Bangladesh with Donald Trump during his meeting with the US President. Addressing a press briefing after a meeting between Prime Minister Modi and US President in the White House, the Foreign Secretary stated that the subject was discussed between the two leaders and expressed hope that the situation in India's neighbouring country would progress for the pursuit of

"stable and constructive" relations between the two nations. "This was a subject that was discussed between the two leaders. And the Prime Minister shared his views and, indeed, his concerns with regard to recent developments in Bangladesh and how India sees the situation...We hope that the situation in Bangladesh will also move forward in a direction where we can pursue relations in a constructive and stable way with them. But there are concerns about that situation. And the Prime Minister shared those views with President Trump," the Foreign Secretary said in response to a reporter's question. Earlier, while giving their remarks in the White House after meeting with PM Modi, President Trump stated that the situation in Bangladesh was not related to the US "deep state," noting that he would leave the matter to the Prime Minister. "There was no role for our deep state...This is something that the Prime Minister has been working on for a long time...Frankly, I've been reading about it, I will leave Bangladesh to the Prime Minister," Trump said. In August 2024, a student-led movement ousted Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina after weeks of protest and violence that resulted in over 600 deaths. Hasina, 76, fled to India, and an interim government led by Nobel Laureate Muhammad Yunus was subsequently formed.

Haripur Meler Math in Shantipur, brought his fiveyear-old daughter to the hospital's emergency ward. The child was suffering from fever and vomiting. While undergoing examina-tion, she vomited near the emergency room entrance. It is alleged that Dr. Tanmoy Sarkar, who was on duty, forced the child's father to clean up the vomit.Despite initially protesting, Samir Shil was reportedly pressured by the doctor into doing so. A video of the incident has gone viral, in which the doctor can allegedly be heard saying, "Wouldn't you clean up if she vomited on a bus or train?" However, the authenticity of the video has not been independently verified.The incident has sparked widespread outrage. The Health Department had already sought reports from the hospital superintendent and the Chief Medical Officer of Health (CMOH). Additionally, a three-member committee was formed to investigate the matter. Now, with the show-cause notice issued. the accused doctor must explain his actions, failing which further action may be

inflated. In this year's budget, the government's projected growth rate is 6.8 per cent. In next year's budget the real figures would surely be lower," the CPM state secretary said.

Drawing parallels with the Narendra Modi government, Salim said the Trinamool government almost mirrored the Centre when it came to "selling a false narrative about the growth rate". "In this year's budget, the Narendra Modi government has brought down the growth rate for the 2023-2024 from the projected 8.3 per cent to 6.4 per cent. Both the state and central governments, the BJP and the Trinamool are indulging in a jugglery with figures to weave a travesty of lies," the former CPM MP said. Reeling out statistics related to the debt-to-gross state domestic product ratio, Salim said while Bengal's loan burden was rising, the rate of economic growth was on the decline. Drawing up a comparative chart with statistics sourced from the Medium Term Fiscal Policy State and Fiscal Policy Strategy Statement for the year 2025-26, finance department, government of West Bengal

the helpless woman and attempted to assist her, but she was unable to provide her home address. Eventually, locals alerted the Gopalnagar police, who rescued her and admitted her to Bongaon Sub-Divisional Hospital for treatment. De-

College sports event turns tragic as student dies during race

MI News Service, Howrah: A college sports event in Shyampur Howrah's turned tragic when a 19vear-old student collapsed and died during a race. The incident occurred at Siddheshwari Mahavidyalaya on Saturday, leaving students, faculty, and alumni in shock. The deceased student has been identified as Rupam Shi, a resident of Batul village under Bagnan police station. Police have launched an investigation to determine the cause of death.According to sources, Siddheshwari Mahavidyalaya was hosting

its annual sports competi-

tion alongside an alumni

reunion event. A large

number of current and for-

mer students had gathered

for the occasion. Rupam

participated in the 200-

meter race along with

other students. However,

after completing the race,

he sat on the ground, visi-

bly struggling to breathe.

Within moments, he col-

lapsed on the field, losing

consciousness.Concerned

students and faculty mem-

bers immediately rushed

to his aid, attempting to re-

vive him by sprinkling

water on his face. When he did not respond, he was quickly transported to the nearby Jhumjhumi Hospital. However, doctors declared him dead upon arrival. The shocking incident prompted local police from Shyampur police station to visit the college. Rupam's body has been sent to Uluberia Sarat Chandra Chattopadhyay Medical College for postmortem examination to determine the exact cause of death. Authorities are investigating whether the incident was a medical emergency or if any other factors contributed to his sudden collapse.News of his untimely demise reached his family, plunging his home into mourning. His relatives and neighbors struggled to come to terms with the tragedy. The entire college was left in shock, and all remaining events for the day were immediately canceled. What was meant to be a day of celebration and camaraderie turned into one of sorrow and disbelief.Students, professors, and alumni expressed their grief over the sudden loss of a young life.

Coach Crispin Chettri rues lack of exposure for north Bengal footballers

MI News Service, Siliguri: Crispin Chettri, the coach of the Indian women's football team feels that the lack of exposure is the biggest hurdle for budding footballers of north Bengal. Chettri, who has just taken charge of the national team, said he plans to create a pool of players and de-velop a 'steady supply' line of players to excel at the next level. "If you go to remote rural areas or tea gardens of north Bengal, you can see the craze for football. But these talents are not getting proper exposure, be-

cause unless you perform in any national level tournament, the scouts will not notice. Only one league in Calcutta is not enough to spot the talents," Chettri, told from Anantapur in Andhra Pradesh on Friday. The Kurseong resident, who has played for the United Kurseong Football Club, has made hill residents proud with his new assignment. Last year, he guided the Odisha FC women's team to qualify for the first edition of the Asian Football Confederation Women's Champions League.



The Odisha women's team also became the champion of the Indian Women's League for 2023-24 under Chettri's coaching. Currently, he is conducting a preparatory camp for the upcoming Pink Ladies Cup with 29 players at the Anantapur Sports Village. The tournament is an international women's friendly football tournament and the matches will be played in Dubai from February 20 to February 26. Along with India, teams from the Republic of Korea, Russia, Thailand, Uzbekistan, and Jor-

taken

dan will participate in the tourney. On February 17, the final squad for the tournament will be announced and the next day, the team will leave for UAE, he said.

"We are currently focusing on the ensuing tournament. But once I return, I will talk to officials of our football federation and request our spotters to visit the school and varsity level football events to spot new talents, said Chhetri. The current FIFA ranking of the Indian women's football team is 69 in the world while in Asia, their rank is 12.

Morning India

For TV, Epaper & News visit: www.live7tv.com



Kolkata, Sunday 16 February 2025

CITY



With a heavy heart, West Bengal Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee consoles the grieving wife of legendary singer Pratul Mukhopadhyay during his solemn last rites at Rabindra Sadan, in Kolkata on Saturday. solemn last rites at Rabindra Sadan, in Kolkata on Saturday.

Jaishankar meets **Ukrainian Foreign** minister on sidelines of Munich Security Conference

From PG 1

peaceful resolution of the three year long Russia- Ukraine conflict. Sharing a post on X, Sybiha said, "I thank @DrS-Jaishankar for our meaningful meeting. We are interested in developing relations with India and advancing cooperation in trade, technology, agriculture, security, and other areas. We also rely on India's strong global voice to bring a just and lasting peace closer."During their meeting, the two leaders also spoke about further advancement of bilateral cooperation. Russia and Ukraine have been engaged in conflict since February 2022. Since the war between Russia and Ukraine started, India taking a neutral stand, has called for a peaceful resolution of conflict through dialogue and diplomacy. India has also expressed its willingness to contribute in all possible ways to facilitate an early return of peace. Accordingly Prime minister Narendra Modi visited both Moscow and Kiev last year and met President Putin and President Vladimir Zelensky separately in an effort to put and end to the war. On the sidelines of the Munich Security Conference, Jaishankar also met with Minister-President of Bavaria Markus Soder in Germany and discussed economic and technology cooperation. The two leaders also held talks about the international situation. Jaishankar said that he looked forward to welcoming Markus Soder to India. "Delighted to meet Minister-President @Markus_ Soeder of Bavaria again in Munich today. Discussed our economic and technology cooperation. Exchanged views about the international situation.

Pratul Mukhopadhyay laid to rest with full State Honours CM Mamata bids emotional farewell

MI News Service, Kolkata: Veteran Bengali singer and composer Pratul-Mukhopadhyay, best known for his iconic song "Ami BanglayGaanGai," passed away on Saturday morning at SSKM Hospital. He was 82. Mukhopadhyay, a revered figure in Bengal's cultural and socio-political landscape, had been suffering from rectal cancer and later developed severe infections that led to his demise. West Bengal Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee, who had personally visited Mukhopadhyay at the hospital just days before his passing, expressed her deep sorrow. "His songs were not just melodies but voices of protest, a reflection of our struggles and cultural identity. His passing is an ir-reparable loss to Bengal," she said in her statement. She extended her condolences to his family and countless admirers.

His passing left his loved ones devastated, including West Bengal Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee, who struggled to hold back her emotions. A final tribute was paid to singer-songwriter PratulMukhopad-hyay at RabindraSadan. Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee, Kolkata Police Commissioner Manoj Kumar Verma, Minister Aroop Biswas, and other dignitaries were present at the ceremony. As Chief Minister paid her final respects to the legendary singer at RabindraSadan, she openly ex-pressed her grief. Speaking to the media, she said, "Since morning, I have not been able to control myself. I couldn't speak for a long time. Then, I called Aroop (Minister Arup Biswas) and instructed him on what needed to be done. I usually don't see the faces of my loved ones after their demise. I prefer to remember them as they were in life. But Pratul-da was different. I had to come here; there was no other choice."

Reflecting on her personal bond with PratulMukhopadhyay, Mamata Banerjee said, "He was more than family to me. He faced many hardships. I had offered to make arrangements for him multiple times, but he always said, 'I'll manage somehow.' When I visited him at the hospital, we spoke to each other. Our doctors tried their best, they gave their all... but in the end, nothing could be done. What more can I say?" In honour of his contributions, the state government arranged for his mortal remains to be kept at RabindraSadan, where thousands, including fans, cultural icons, and political leaders, paid their last respects. Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee personally attended the ceremony acknowledging his unparalleled impact on Bengal's music and activism. His last rites were performed with full state honours, signifying his immense legacy, gave him a heroic farewell with a gun salute.

Mukhopadhyay had been admitted to SSKM Hospital on January 16

after experiencing severe health complications. He underwent surgery on February 5, but his condition worsened due to post-operative infections that spread to his lungs. Despite medical intervention, he suffered a cardiac arrest last week, which ultimately proved fatal. The singer had been battling health issues for several months. In early Jan-uary, he was hospitalized following sudden nasal bleeding. Neurologists and ENT specialists conducted multiple tests, and although he initially responded to treatment, his condition rapidly deteriorated. Further examinations revealed a critical lung infec-

tion. Even during his final days, Mukhopadhyay remained deeply connected to his music. Just days before his passing, he sang "Ami BanglayGaanGai" from his hospital bed, leaving doctors and nurses emotional. His music was more than art-it was a movement, inspiring generations with themes of social justice and working-class struggles.

Mukhopadhyay was more than just a singer; he was a symbol of resistance, a voice for the people, and an artist who used his music to inspire change. His compositions, often rooted in the struggles of the working class and social justice, remain timeless. His passing marks the end of an era, leaving behind a legacy that will continue to inspire generations.

Muzaffarpur residents reconnect with roots through music and dance in Kolkata

MI News Service, Kolkata: Kolkata witnessed an emotional reunion as former residents of Muzaffarpur, Bihar, gathered to celetheir childhood brate memories through dance and music. Many had and music. Many had moved to Kolkata long ago, embracing Bengali culture while cherishing their roots. The event, held at IndumatiSabhagriha in Ja-davpur, allowed families to reconnect and reminisce about the past.

Organized by Shya-mashree Ray Chowdhury and hosted by Madhumita Mukherjee, the program featured performances by renowned artists. Grandmaster DibyenduBarua and filmmaker Saikat Das were honored. The gathering highlighted the power of nostalgia, uniting generations through shared his-tory and cultural bonds. was aware of the number of Indians to be deported under Musical performances by SoP, with handcuffs and legs Shyamashree Ray Chowdtied with ropes. He asked if hury, Ruma Chatterjee, the government had offered and Hirak Chatterjee to send its own plane to bring added vibrancy to the event, while a dance per-formance by Anjali Mukherjee captivated the back Indians and if the govaudience. Many prominent people from Muzaffarpur were also present.

The reunion fostered nostalgia, bridging generations and reviving lost

US aircraft carrying 119 more deportees landed in Amritsar

From PG 1

illegal immigrants. Will the deportees be handcuffed and their legs tied with ropes? It is a test for Indian diplomacy." Notably, on February 5, a US Air Force plane carrying Indian citizens who "illegally immigrated" to the US arrived in Amritsar, Punjab. Speaking on the issue, Chidambaram further alleged that the Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) "crumbled badly" in handling the deportation of Indian nationals from the United States. He said that the government had information about the planned deportation of Indian nationals and asked if External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar had raised the issue of sending Indians, identified as illegal immigrants by the US, under SoPs when he met new US Secretary of State, Marco Rubio. The Congress leader further added that the government

ernment would send planes to bring back 483 more Indians identified as illegal immigrants by the US. Meanwhile, Punjab Chief

Minister Bhagwant Mann came hard on the Centre over the deportation of Indian citizens who allegedly illegally migrated to the United States, and said that Amritsar for landing of these air-craft is being chosen deliberately to portray that only Punjabis are illegal migrants. "There is a conspiracy to defame Punjab and Punjabis.

The first plane landed in Amritsar. Now, a second plane carrying Indian citizens illegally migrated to the US will land in Amritsar. The MEA should tell the criteria based on which Amritsar was selected to land the aircraft. You select Amritsar to defame Punjab. At the time when PM Modi and US President Trump were meeting, they must have been putting shackles on our people. Is this the gift Trump has given? America's military planes are landing in Amritsar, and an enemy country, Pakistan, is right next to it.

Mamata hails SSKM Hospital's record-breaking surgical feat

dedication transformed the private nursing homes. For initiative into a shining example of Bengal's adhealthcare vanced system.Patients from across West Bengal including those from Malda, Mur-Burdwan. shidabad. Bankura, Purulia, and even Darjeeling districts travelled to SSKM Hospital for gallbladder stone surgeries. Among them were individuals of all ages, from a 14-year-old boy to an 80year-old man, all of whom underwent successful procedures. This achievement reinforces Bengal's medical superiority over other states and highlights the efficiency of its governmenthospitals. SSKM run authorities revealed that the backlog of surgical cases had been increasing due to various reasons. Given the limited capacity of daily surgeries, the doctors took a collective decision to conduct multiple surgeries simultaneously, reducing the patient load significantly. This initiative proved to be a boon for underprivileged patients from

remote villages-many of

From PG 1 whom had never even heard of micro-surgery or many underprivileged patients from remote areas this initiative was a lifeline. Several had never even heard of micro-surgery or private hospitals and would have otherwise faced years of waiting or costly alternatives. The overwhelming success of this initiative has been met with widespread appreciation. Patients and their families expressed gratitude, stating that this effort proved that government hospitals could provide world-class medical treatment. Professor Dr. Dipten Sarkar mentioned that while the primary focus of this initiative was gallbladder stone surgeries, they plan to extend it to other procedures too in future. This success reinforces Bengal's medical superiority and highlights the efficiency of its government-run hospitals. This record-breaking achievement at SSKM Hospital stands as a testament to the dedication of Bengal's doctors, made possible with strong support from the state government.

10 Maha Kumbh devotees killed in car-bus crash on Prayagraj highway

From PG 1 way in Madhya Pradesh's Jabalpur district. On Monday, a couple from Agra died, and four others were injured when their car collided with a truck while returning from the Maha Kumbh. Station House Officer Rudra Pratap Singh confirmed that authorities seized the truck and detained the driver. That same day, a bus-car collision Sonbhadra, Uttar Pradesh, led to the death of a man from Rourkela, Odisha, while six others sustained injuries. The accident raised further concerns about vehicular safety and traffic management during the Maha Kumbh Mela. The Maha Kumbh Mela, one of the largest religious gatherings, began on January 13 and will continue until February 26, coinciding with Maha Shivratri. According to the Uttar Pradesh government, on Friday itself over 9.2 million devotees took a holy dip at the Sangam, pushing the total footfall of over 500 million till now.

Enhanced public transportation: 12 addl buses to improve connectivity in Kolkata

KB-24 route is expected to

address congestion issues

in major IT hubs such as

Sector 5 and Newtown,

where thousands of profes-

sionals travel daily. The ad-

ditional buses will not only

ease rush-hour traffic but

also ensure affordable and

efficient travel options for

the city's workforce. Trans-

port Minister Snehashis

Chakraborty revealed that

this is just the beginning of

a larger initiative to im-

prove Kolkata's public

transport infrastructure.

He indicated that more

government buses would

be introduced in phases to

address traffic congestion

and last-mile connectivity

issues. Furthermore, spe-

cial AC and electric buses

are also being considered

for the Newtown-Sector 5-

Kolkata Station corridor in

the coming months.

MI News Service, Kolkata: ready been operating pri-In a significant boost to vate buses along this route. Kolkata's public transport However, the introduction of government-run buses system, a new bus route, KB-24, has been inauguaims to enhance frequency, rated, connecting Hatisala reduce travel time, and Infosys in Bhangar to provide a more reliable Kolkata Station. This initiamode of transportation for tive follows Chief Minister thousands of daily com-Mamata Banerjee's direcmuters Residents and passentive to enhance bus services in the city after gers welcomed the initiaconcerns were raised over tive, expressing relief over the increased availability of insufficient public transport connectivity during a Nabuses. A daily commuter banna meeting several from Newtown to Shyammonths ago. The new route bazar, shared his experience, saying, "Earlier, waiting for buses at features a fleet of 26 mod-Karunamoyee was frustrating. Now, with more buses on this route, traveling has become much easier." The

ern buses, with 12 already operational, covering key locations such as Technical Building, Biswa Bangla Gate, Newtown Bus Stand, Sector 5, Karunamoyee, and Shyambazar. This service is expected to im-prove daily commuting, benefiting office-goers, students, and residents. The launch ceremony took place on Saturday afternoon, with Transport Min-Snehashis ister

Chakraborty and Canning East MLA SaokatMolla officially flagging off the buses. Speaking at the event, Minister Chakraborty emphasized the government's commitment to improving public transport in Kolkata. "A new bus route has been inaugurated today. To further enhance connectivity, government buses will be introduced alongside private ones, ensuring faster and more efficient travel to Kolkata Station and RG Kar," he stated. The K-1 Bus Route Authority has alanalyses Union Budget 2025-26

Calcutta Chamber of Commerce

MI News Service, Kolkata: The Calcutta Chamber of Commerce organized a high-profile discussion on the Union Budget 2025-26, bringing together industry leaders and financial experts to assess its impact on economic growth. The event featured Hari Shankar Halwasiya, President of the Chamber, who welcomed esteemed guests, including Rishabh C. Kothari, CEO of CKC Fragrances and Flavours Pvt. Ltd., and CA Krishna Kumar Chhaparia, a distinguished Chartered Accountant.

In his keynote address, Halwasiya highlighted the budget's emphasis on fostering a prosperous and inclusive India, focusing on youth, farmers, women, and underprivileged communities. He outlined key initiatives, including the government's fiscal prudence in targeting a 4.4% fiscal deficit, enhanced credit access for MSMEs, tax reforms for middle-class relief, and incentives under the "Make in India" initiative. The budget also prioritizes investments in education, skill development, and sustainability, with allocations for AI research, medical and IIT seat expansion, and green energy projects. Shri Halwasiva stressed the importance of urban infrastructure and social sector spending in driving long-term growth. The discussion, moderated by MadhavSureka, Chairman of the Chamber's Tax Committee, concluded with expert insights, reaffirming the Chamber's commitment to fostering economic dialogue.

Massive fire breaks out at garage near Bypass

MI News Service, Kolkata: A massive fire broke out at a garage near the Bypass on Saturday morning, engulfing the entire area in thick black smoke. Several vehicles were completely destroyed in the blaze, causing panic among local residents. Fire department officials rushed to the spot after receiving information, deploying two fire engines to control the situation. However, before their arrival, locals had already started efforts to douse the flames. Eyewitnesses reported that the fire started around 10:30 AM. As soon as the flames were noticed, residents immediately informed the fire brigade. However, delays in the arrival of fire-

fighters led to frustration among locals, who took matters into their own hands and began attempting to control the fire using available resources.

The affected garage is located in a heavily populated area, making it difficult for fire engines to navigate through narrow lanes. The presence of multiple shanties around the garage added to concerns, as firefighters worked to prevent the flames from spreading further. Despite their best efforts, fire officials struggled to bring the blaze completely under control. Although the intensity of the fire was reduced after some time, flames were still visible in several spots.

connections. While social media has helped reconnect old friends, this event brought people together in strengthening person. bonds and celebrating shared history with music, conversation, and warm

'Sheesh Mahal' to be probed over renovation of 'lavish' bungalow after AAP's defeat

From PG 1

norms. It also lacked proper layout plan approvals, he further alleged. A year ago, in September 2023, the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) had registered a preliminary enquiry on the matter months after the Ministry of Home Affairs asked the Comptroller and Auditor General of India to conduct a special audit into the alleged irregularities and vi-

in olations the reconstruction of the bungalow. On October 16 last year, the CVC had registered a complaint for further examination in the matter, forwarding it to the CPWD for further investigation. In December, a factual report based on Gupta's complaint was submitted to the CVC by the chief vigilance officer, CPWD. Earlier this week, on Thursday, the CVC, Gupta said, apprised him that after examining the factual report, the CVO of CPWD has been "advised to conduct a detailed investigation into the matter". assuring him that "suitable action based on the findings of the investigation report" will be taken.

India needs clear vision for new tech, not empty words, remarks Rahul Gandhi From PG 1

high-technology high-value industry. There is no doubt that the policy reforms by the government in the civil drone sector are timely, comprising the civil drone rules-2021; Digital Sky Platform, Kisan Drone Scheme, Namo Drone Didi and Production Linked Incentive (PLI). Along with its employment in the Svamitva scheme, agriculture, medical surveys, and other sectors had a significant impact on its expeditious adoption since 2021. However, the absence of a nodal ministry for drone technology, lack of a drone atmanirbharta policy, Research and Development (R&D) structures and import dependence on critical components, are barriers to India's global drone hub mission. The absence of initiatives for the development and validation of emerging drone technologies such as remote tracking, detect and avoid systems, Unmanned Traffic Management (UTM) and Urban Air Mobility (UAM) are immediate challenges in the integration of drones into the Indian airspace.

Printed and Published by Prem Shankar on behalf of Prem Shankar and Printed at Saraswati Print Factory Private Limited, 789, Chowbhaga West, Near Chaina Mandir, Kolkata-700105 and Published at 30, Chittaranjan Avenue, 4th Floor, Kolkata-700012, Editor: Prem Shankar*, *(Responsible for selection of news under PRB Act) RNI No.WBENG/2014/56803 Email: morningindiaranchi@gmail.com

Morning India For TV, e-paper & news visit: www.live7tv.com

Kolkata, Sunday 16 February 2025

NAME CHANGE

Bhattacharva as declared before the Ld. Judicial Magistrate 1st Class at Alipore Court (WB) vide Affidavit no. 12546 dated 14.02.2025. Shreya Bhattacharya and Shreva Bhattachariee both are same and identical person and it indicate myself only. That my correct and actual name is Shreya Bhattacharya

NAME CHANGE

Rozi Praveen D/o Maqsood Alam residing at F/32 ,West Chowbaga, Gulshan Colony, P.O- Dhapa, Kolkata – 700105, WB, declare that in my Aadhar Card, my name, Date of Birth and Father's name have been recorded as Roii Khatoon. 01.01.2009 and Md. Maksud instead of my actual Name, Date of Birth and Father's Name as Rozi Praveen, 08.10.2006 and Maqsood Alam. That Rozi Khatoon & Rozi Praveen and Md Maksud & Magsood Alam both are same and one identical persons vide affidavit no. 1666 dated 11.02.25 before Ld. 1st Class

NAME CHANGE

Judicial Magistrate at Calcutta.

I, Sunil Dom S/o. Madan Dom R/o. Vivekananda Road, C.R.P. Hospital Quarter, Building No. 4, Chinsurah, Hooghly-712103, W.B., aged about 43 years have changed my nameand shall henceforth be known as to Sunil Mallick vide an affidavit no. 1217 sworn before Judicial Magistrate, Kolkata Court on 10/02/25. Sunil Dom&Sunil Mallick S/o. Madan Dom both are the same & one identical person.

NAME CHANGE

I, Rupi Bose (Old Name) wife of Late Dilip Bose, residing at 53, BY C Jessore Road, North, Champadali More Barasat, North 24 Pgs, Pin- 700124, West Bengal, INDIA, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Ruby Bose (New Name) as declared before the Notary Public at Kolkata, dated 12/02/2025. Ruby Bose (New Name) and Rupi Bose (Old Name) both are same and identical person.

NAME CHANGE

I, Sankar Kumar Das (Old Name) son of Monoranjan Das, residing at Hatthuba, Changda Park, Habra, Manicktala, North Pgs, Pin- 743263, West Bengal, INDIA, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Sankar Das (New Name) as declared before the Notary Public at Kolkata, dated 12/02/2025. Sankar Das (New Name) and Sankar Kumar Das (Old Name) both are same and identical person.

NAME CHANGE

Chandni Ganguly (Old Name) wife of Debaditya Ganguly, residing at 7A, Chandicharan Ghosh Road, P.O.- Barisha, Kolkata- 700008, West Bengal, INDIA, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Chandni Chakraborty Ganguly (New Name) as declared before the Notary Public at Kolkata, dated 12/02/2025 Chandni Chakraborty Ganguly (New Name) and Chandni Ganguly (Old Name) both are same and identical person.

NAME CHANGE

Irshad Alam (Old Name) son of Mehaboob, residing at 45/B/H/2, Canal East Road, Narkeldanga, Kolkata- 700011, West Bengal, INDIA, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Ershad Alam (New Name) as declared before the Notary Public at Kolkata, dated 12/02/2025. Ershad Alam (New Name) and Irshad Alam (Old Name) both are same and

NAME CHANGE

identical person

Jagadish Tapader, residing at Manoharpur, On 12/02/2025, That Anuj Kumar Shaw

NAME CHANGE I, Shreya Bhattacharjee D/o Shyamal I, Sekh Ashabul Mondal (Old Name) Kumar Bhattacherjee, by faith - Hindu son of Sk Sabulal Mondal, residing Nationality - Indian, Service, R/A 32/3, at Paschimramnagar, P.O.- Binagram Phulbagan Road, P.S. - Patuli, P.O - Paschimramnagar, Hooghly, Pin- 712401, Baghajatin, Kolkata - 700086, South 24 West Bengal, INDIA, have changed my Pgs. (WB), have changed my name and name and shall henceforth be known as Sk shall henceforth be known as Shreya Ashabul Mondal (New Name) as declared before the Notary Public at Kolkata, dated 13/02/2025. Sk Ashabul Mondal (New Name) and Sekh Ashabul Mondal (Old Name) both are same and identical person.

NAME CHANGE K Heamant Rao (Old Name) son of K

Bhaskar Rao, residing at 18/C/13 Unit-11 North Colony Garden Reach Road, P.O.- Garden Reach, Kolkata- 700043, West Bengal, INDIA, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as K Hemant Rao (New Name) as declared before the Notary Public at Kolkata, dated 12/02/2025. K Hemant Rao (New Name) and K Heamant Rao (Old Name) both are same and identical person.

NAME CHANGE I, Sk Tamijuddin (Old Name) son of Sk Tarifuddin, residing at Doge Chhya, P.O.

& P.S.- Keshpur, Dist.- Paschim Medinipur, Pin- 721150, West Bengal, INDIA, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Sk Tomijuddin (New Name) as declared before the Notary Public at Kolkata, dated 12/02/2025. Sk Tomijuddin (New Name) and Sk Tamijuddin (Old Name) both are same and identical person.

NAME CHANGE

Robiul Mondal (Old Name) son o Rejaul Mondal, residing at Vill.- Kalinga, P.O.- Andhar Manik, P.S.- Baduria, Dist.-North 24 Pgs, Pin- 743401, West Bengal INDIA, have changed my name and shall

henceforth be known as Rabiul Mondal (New Name) as declared before the Notary Public at Kolkata, dated 14/02/2025. Rabiul Mondal (New Name) and Robiul Mondal (Old Name) both are same and identical person.

NAME CHANGE

Dilip Kumar Poddar (Old Name) of Bishwanath Poddar, residing at 26H/6 Radha Madhav Dutta Garden Lane, Kolkata- 700010, West Bengal, INDIA, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Dilip Poddar (New Name) as declared before the Notary Public at Kolkata, dated 13/02/2025. Dilip Poddar (New Name) and Dilip Kumar Poddar (Old Name) both are same and identical person.

NAME CHANGE

Hasmat Ara, daughter of Late Nazir Ahmed, residing at 3A/H/2, Rajab Ali Lane, Khiddirpore, Kolkata- 700023, West Bengal, INDIA, shall henceforth be known as Hashmat Ara as declared before the Notary Public at Kolkata, dated 12/02/2025. Hasmat Ara and Hashmat Ara both are same and one identical person.

NAME CHANGE

Shaheen Jamil wife of Mohammed Sajid declare that my husband said name Md. Sajid (old name) father of Md. Arman Sajid residing at 23A, Mofidul Islam Lane, P.S. Beniapukur, Kolkata - 700014, west Bengal have changed my Husband name and he shall henceforth be known as Mohammed Sajid (new name) vide an a affidavit shown before the Ld. Judicial Magistrate 1st Class at Alipore on 11/02/2025. Mohammed Sajid

(new name) and Md. Sajid (old name) both are the same and one identical person. NAME CHANGE Anuj Kumar Shaw, Son Of Arbind Shaw,

Residing Mathurapur, Sonarpur, South 24 Parganas-700150, Shall Henceforth Be Known As Anui Shaw Vide An Affidavit Rajkumar Tafader (Old Name) son of Late Sworn Before The Notary Public Kolkata And Anuj Shaw Both Are The Same And

Medicall Exhibition 2025 Inaugurated in Kolkata by Malay Pit, President of Santiniketan Medical college

News

international

institutions,

vations.

actively

investment.

"Through

across 286 kilometers using Service, Kolkata: The much-awaitthe SSI Mantra surgical roed Medicall Exhibition 2025, botic system, marked a significant milestone in India's India's premier healthcare and hospital needs exhibimedical technology sector. tion, was inaugurated today Inspired by such advanceat Biswa Bangla Mela Pranments, he announced plans gan, Kolkata. The three-day to introduce a postgradevent, running from Feb-ruary 15 to 17, has attractuate-equivalent course in Bolpur, offering a unique 10-month practical training ed leading national and healthcare program supplemented by two months of theoretical showcasing cutting-edge medical innolearning. Major Exhibits and Industry

The inauguration cer-Participation The Medicall Exhibition

emony was graced by Dr. Malay Pit, President of San-2025 features over 250 tiniketan Medical College & exhibitors presenting innovations in AI-based di-Hospital and Tripura Santiniketan Medical College. agnostics, robotic surgery, In his speech, Dr. Pit comtelemedicine, and genetic mended the state governresearch. Leading healthment's efforts in improving care companies and starthealthcare infrastructure, ups are showcasing their particularly in rural areas. latest developments, at-The government's initiatracting significant interest tives in modernizing healthfrom investors and medical care services are commendprofessionals.

Speaking at the event, Sanjay Mukherjee, MD of able. The transformation of rural hospitals is unprecedented and marks a signifi-Šurgical, highlighted cant step forward," he said. the exhibition's impact on Dr. Pit also lauded the investment opportunities. state's pro-industry poli-cies, emphasizing the need 'This platform will open new avenues for healthcare advancements, encouraging for private investment in healthcare. "The govern-Indian and international inment is fostering an indusvestors to explore strategic try-friendly environment, collaborations," he said.

Taher Sheikh, Joint Secengaging with business leaders to attract retary of the All Bengal Private Nursing Home and Sustainable healthcare growth requires Hospital Owners Association, emphasized the largeparticipation from scale the healthcare communi-"More than 2,500 prity. vate hospitals and nursing homes, along with numerous doctors from across the country, are attending this year's event," he confirmed. A Milestone in Healthcare Advancement

With its focus on innovation, investment, and knowledge-sharing, Medicall Ex-hibition 2025 is set to be a landmark event in India's healthcare sector. Over the next three days, industry leaders, medical professionals, and policymakers will engage in discussions shaping the future of healthcare For registration and event details,

Genesis Hospital Kasba Kolkata celebrated it's completion of 20 years



Miscellaneous **Railways' Bonanza for Maha Kumbh** Mela Devotees: 4 more special train

Lost trolley bag returned to a lady commuter by Metro staff MI News Service, Kolkata: On 14.02.2025, at 11.25 hrs an on-duty RPF staff posted

News

sacred journey.

03105 Sealdah

at Kavi Subhash Metro station while conducting a routine checking of a Metro rake recovered an unclaimed trolley bag from the rake and deposited it to the Station Master's Office after proper security checking. After opening the bag, some valuable items were found therein.

Thereafter, Station Master made repeated announcements requesting the owner of the bag to collect it from the Station Master's Office and a control message was also communicated to all the stations.

sometime, a lady After came to the Station Master's Office of Kavi Subhash Metro station and claimed the ownership of the recovered trolley bag and the items containing therein. After proper verification and fulfilling all official formalities, the trolley bag along with all other items

were handed over to her. She expressed her heartfelt gratitude to Metro Railway authorities for helping her to get back the lost trolley bag along with all other items.

Kolkata Police creates green corridor to help student reach exam centre on time

MI News Service, Kolkata: A CBSE student who mistakenly arrived at the wrong examination centre was saved by Kolkata Police, who swiftly created a green corridor to ensure the student reached the correct venue on time. The incident occurred on Saturday, the first day of the CBSE Class 10 and 12 board exams

The student, from a Maheshtala-based school, was scheduled to take the exam at a designated centre in Taratala. However, due to confusion, the student and their guardian mistakenly arrived at a school in Joka, which falls under the jurisdiction of the Haridevpur police station.

Upon reaching the Joka school, they realized their mistake. The actual exam centre in Taratala was quite far, and time was running out. Panic set in as the student feared missing the exam. The guardian, unsure of what to do, grew anx-ious as the exam time approached.

Noticing their distress, SubhashAdhikari, a police officer on duty nearby, immediately intervened. Upon learning about the situation rom the student's guardian, he acted swiftly. With just minutes left before the exam, he arranged for a Thakurpukur police vehicle to transport them to Taratala. At the same time, the Lalbazar Traffic Control Room was alerted, and a green corridor was created to ensure an uninterrupted passage through the city's busy roads. The police vehicle, facing minimal traffic disruptions, successfully reached the correct examination centre nearly 30 minutes before the exam began. Upon arrival at the Taratala exam centre, the school authorities were initially hesitant to allow the student entry, as per exam regulations. However, the police officers quickly stepped in, explaining the situation and assuring them that it was a genuine mistake. To further clarify the matter, an official email was sent by the police

enroute. The train will have Service, Kolkata: The Maha Kumbh Air-Conditioned accommoda-

Mela, a once-in-12-years cetions. lestial event, holds immense 03063 and 03035 Howspiritual and cultural signifirah – Tunda Kumbh Mela Special will leave Howrah cance for millions of devotees from across the globe. Recogat 19:35 hrs. on 15.02.2025, nized as the largest human 22.02.2025 & 23.02.2025 to congregation on Earth, the reach Tundla Jn. at 19:20 Maha Kumbh is a celebrahrs. on the next day. 03064 tion of faith, devotion, and and 03036 Tunda - Howtradition. To ensure seamless rah Kumbh Mela Special will travel and accommodate the leave Tundla at 03:00 hrs. massive influx of pilgrims aton 17.02.2025, 24.02.2025 & tending this grand spiritual gathering, Railway is delight-25.02.2025 to reach Howrah at 02:30 hrs. on the next day. ed to announce the operation The train will stop at Bardof 11 pairs of Kumbh Mela dhaman, Durgapur, Asansol, Special trains which will run Dhanbad, Nsc Bose J Gomo, between Sealdah & Tundla, Parasnath, Hazaribagh Rd, Howrah & Tundla, Asansol Koderma, Gaya, Anugra-& Tundla and Malda Town ha N Road, Dehri on Sone, & Jhusi . This initiative will Sasaram, Bhabhu Rd, Pt. Deen Dayal Upadhyay Jn., generate more berths, providing safe, comfortable, and Mirzapur, Pryagraj Jn., Fatehpur, Govindpuri and Etawah convenient travel options for devotees embarking on their Jn. stations in both directions enroute. The train will have – Tun-General Second Class, Sleeper da Kumbh Mela Special Class and Air-Conditioned acwill leave Sealdah at 08:10

commodations. hrs. on 21.02.2025 to reach 03505 and 03561 Asansol Tundla Jn. at 06:30 hrs. on Tundla Kumbh Mela Special the next day. 03106 Tunda will leave Asansol at 11:15 hrs. Sealdah Kumbh Mela Special on 18.02.2025 & 21.02.2025 will leave Tundla at 11:20 respectively to reach Tundla Jn. at 07:00 hrs. on the next hrs. on 22.02.2025 to reach Sealdah at 13:00 hrs. on the day. 03506 and 03562 Tundnext day. The train will stop la Jn. – Asansol Kumbh Mela at Barddhaman, Durgapur, Special will leave Tundla Jn. Asansol, Dhanbad, Nsc Bose at 11:40 hrs. on 19.02.2025 J Gomo, Parasnath, Haz-& 22.02.2025 respectively to aribagh Rd, Koderma, Gaya, reach Asansol at 09:50 hrs. Anugraha N Road, Dehri on on the next day. The train will Sone, Sasaram, Bhabhu Rd, stop at Chittaranjan, Madh-Pt. Deen Dayal Upadhyay Jn., upur, Jashidih, Jhajha, Kiul Mirzapur, Pryagraj Jn., Fate-Jn, Patna Jn., Ara, Buxar, Pt. hpur, Govindpuri and Etawah Deen Dayal Upadhyay Jn., Jn. stations in both directions Mirzapur, Pryagraj Jn., Fate-

hpur, Govindpuri and Etawah Jn. stations in both directions enroute. The train will have General Second Class, Sleeper Class and Air-Conditioned accommodations.

03417, 03429 and 03411 Malda Town - Jhusi Kumbh Mela Special will leave Malda Town at 20:45 hrs. on 16.02.2025, 17.02.2025, 18.02.2025, 23.02.2025 and 24.02.2025 to reach Jhusi at 17:15 hrs. on the next day. 03418, 03430 and 03412 Jhusi - Malda Town Kumbh Mela Special will leave Jhusi at 19:15 hrs. on 17.02.2025, 18.02.2025, 19.02.2025, 24.02.2025 and 25.02.2025 to reach Malda Town at 14:30 hrs. on the next day. The train will stop at New Farakka Jn., Barharwa Jn., Sahibganj Jn., Kahalgaon, Bhagalpur, Sultanganj, Jamalpur Jn., Abhaipur, Kiul Jn. Mokameh, Barh, Bhakhtiyarpur, Rajendra Nagar, Patna Jn., Danapur, Ara, Buxar, Pt. Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Jn., Varanasi and Banaras stations in both directions enroute. The train will have General Second Class, Sleeper Class and Air-Conditioned accommoda-

tions. The booking of 03063 and 03035 Howrah - Tunda Kumbh Mela Special is available through PRS and internet and booking of 03105 Sealdah Tunda Kumbh Mela Special 03505 and 03561 Asansol -Tundla Kumbh Mela Special and 03417, 03429 and 03411 Malda Town – Jhusi Kumbh Mela Special will be notified shortly.

Regulation of trains for developmental work over Sealdah division Train movements in Barasat-Bangaon & Krishnanagar-Lalgola sections will be regulated

News Service, Kolkata: For various developmental work, Traffic and Power block has been planed over Sealdah Division as under: (1) For removal of Permanent Speed Restriction, Traffic and Power block at Gobardanga station Limit on Down line from 22.45 hrs. on 15.02.2025 (Saturday) to 05.45 hrs. on 16.02.2025 (Sunday) and on UP line from 22.45 hrs. on 15.02.2025 (Saturday) to 08.45 hrs. on 16.02.2025 (Sunday); (2) For construction of Limited Height Subway in lieu of Level Crossing Gate no. 112(E) in Krishnanagar City-Lalgola section, Traffic & Power block on both UP & Down line for 06 hours 30 minutes (from 10.15 hrs. to 16.45 hrs.) on 16.02.2025 (Sunday); (3) For conversion

Sealdah-Habra: UP 33651, 33653/Down 33652, 33654. Naihati-Bandel: UP 37521/ Down 37522.

Sealdah-Gede: UP 31911/ Down 31912. Sealdah-Shantipur: UP 31511/Down 31512. Naihati-Ranaghat: UP 31711/Down 31712.

Sealdah-Ranaghat: UP 31611/Down 31612. Krishnanagar City-Lalgola:

UP 31861/Down 31864. Lalgola-Sealdah: Down 53178/UP 53175.

Ranaghat-Lalgola: 31773/Down 31774. Krishnanagar City-Az-

53092/UP imganj: Down 53091 SHORT TERMINATION AND SHORT ORIGINATION OF

TRAINS: (i) 33857 UP Sealdah-Bangaon Local will be short terminated at Habra on Saturday (15.02.2025)

short terminated at Rejinagan on Sunday (16.02.2025) and 63104 Down Lalgola-Sealdah MEMU Passenger will be short originated from Rejinagar instead of Lalgola and will be re-scheduled at 14:00 hrs (from Rejinagar) on Sunday (16.02.2025).

(v) 31769 UP Ranaghat-Lalgola Local will be short terminated at Rejinagar on Sunday (16.02.2025) and 31770 Down Lalgola-Ranaghat Local will be short originated from Rejinagar instead of Lalgola and will be re-scheduled at 15:00 hrs (from Rejinagar) on Sunday (16.02.2025). (vi) 31819 Sealdah-Krishnanagar UP City Local will be short terminated at Ranaghat on Sunday (16.02.2025) and 31840 Down Krishnanagar City-Sealdah Local will be short originated from Kanaghat instead of

robust industrial participation, and these initiatives are a step in the right direction," he added. Technology in Healthcare A key highlight of his speech was the emphasis on technology-driven healthcare solutions. He pointed out global advancements, such as AI-operated hospital, and urged India to embrace similar innovations.

telemedicine, tele-pathology, tele-radiology, tele-ICU, and artificial intelligence, we can revolutionize healthcare accessibility," he stated.

Dr. Pit also referenced a groundbreaking robotic telesurgery performed in Hyderabad earlier this year. The procedure, conducted visit www.medicall.in.

P.O.- Baneswarpur, P.S.- Bagdah, North One Identical Person.

24 Pgs, Pin- 743270, West Bengal, INDIA, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Ŕajkumar Tapader (New Name) as declared before the Notary Public at Kolkata, dated 12/02/2025. Rajkumar Tapader (New Name) and Rajkumar Tafader (Old Name) both are same and identical person.

NAME CHANGE

I, Pranata Tafader (Old Name) daughter of Bijoy Kabiraj, residing at Manoharpur, P.O.-Baneswarpur, P.S.- Bagdah, North 24 Pgs, Pin- 743270, West Bengal, INDIA, have Person. changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Pranati Tapader (New Name) as declared before the Notary Public at Kolkata, dated 12/02/2025. Pranati Tapader (New Name) and Pranata Tafader (Old Name) both are same and identical person.

NAME CHANGE

Rakjakini Tafader (Old Name) wife of Late Jagadish Tapader, residing at Manoharpur, P.O.- Baneswarpur, P.S.-Bagdah, North 24 Pgs, Pin- 743270, West Bengal, INDIA, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Rajakini Tapader (New Name) as declared before the Notary Public at Kolkata, dated 12/02/2025. Rajakini Tapader (New Name) and Rakjakini Tafader (Old Name) both are same and identical person.

NAME CHANGE

Khadiza Molla (Old Name) daughter of Yakub Molla, residing at Alampur Madrasa, Maheshtala (M), P.O.- Garden Reach, P.S.-Rabindranagar, Kolkata- 700024, West Bengal, INDIA, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Khadija Molla (New Name) as declared before the Notary Public at Kolkata, dated 12/02/2025 Khadija Molla (New Name) and Khadiza Molla (Old Name) both are same and identical person

NAME CHANGE

Alatp Sekh (Old Name) son of Kaiem Áli Sekh, residing at Vill & P.O.- Bhayna, P.S.- Hanskhali, Nadia, Pin- 741502, West Affidavit Sworn Before The Notary Public Bengal, INDIA, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Altap Molla And Giash Uddin Molla (Old Name) Sekh (New Name) as declared before the Notary Public at Kólkata, dated 12/02/2025. Altap Sekh (New Name) and Alatp Sekh (Old Name) both are same and identical

NAME CHANGE

I, Sekh Sabulal Mondal (Old Name) son of Sk Mahasin Mondal, residing at Paschimramnagar, P.O.- Binagram Paschimramnagar, Hooghly, Pin- 712401, West Bengal, INDIA, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Sk Sabulal Mondal (New Name) as declared before the Notary Public at Kolkata, dated 13/02/2025. Sk Sabulal Mondal

NAME CHANGE I,Trijit Poyra (Old Name) S/O Ajoy Payra Resident Of 4B,Jagannath Ghosh Road Kasba, Ps - Kasba, Kolkata-700042, West Bengal. I Have Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As Triiit Pavra (New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before

MI

Kolkata:

The

One Identical Person.

Same And One Identical Person.

The Ld. 1st Class Judicial Magistrate At Kolkata On 31/01/2025. That Trijit Poyra(Old Name) And Trijit Payra (New Name) All Are The Same And One Identical

NAME CHANGE

Poyra (Old Name) S/O Late Ajoy Srikanta Payra, Resident Of 4B, Jagannath Ghosh Road Kasba Ps - Kasba Kolkata 700042,West Bengal. I Have Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As

Ajoy Payra (New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before The Notary Public At Kolkata On 13/02/2025. That Ajoy Poyra(Old Name) And Ajoy Payra (New Name) All Are The Same And One Identical Person.

NAME CHANGE

Sanoara Begum @ Sanoyara Begum (Old Name) W/O Giasuddin Molla, Resident Of Uttar Para Nibra, Shalap No.2, Po-Nibra, Ps-Domjur, Dist-Howrah, Pin-711409, West Bengal i Have Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As Sanoyara

Begam Molla(New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before The Notary Public At Kolkata On 12/02/2025.That Sanoara Begum And Sanoyara Begum (Old Name) And Sanoyara Begam Molla (New Name) All Are The Same And One Identical Person.

NAME CHANGE

Giyasuddin Molla @ Giash Uddin Molla Old Name) S/O Mahinuddin @ Mohinuddin Molla.Resident Of Uttar Para Nibra.Shalap No.2. Po-Nibra, Ps-Domiur, Dist-Howrah Pin-711409, West Bengal. I Have Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As Giasuddin Molla(New Name) Vide An At Kolkata On 12/02/2025. That Givasuddin

And Giasuddin Molla (New Name)All Are The Same And One Identical Person. NAME CHANGE

Sekh Kabirul Islam (Old Name) Sk Fazlul Quader, Resident Of Vill-Rampura, Po & Ps - Mohanpur, Dist-West Medinipur, Pin-721436, West Bengal. I Have Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As Sk Kabirul Islam (New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before The Notary Public At Kolkata On 13/02/2025. That Sekh Kabirul Islam(Old Name) And Sk Kabirul Islam (New Name)All Are The Same And One Identical Person.

News Service, which happened few years Genesis Hospital back with the songs Maaye Kasba Kolkata celebrated it's and Teri Mitti which was folcompletion of 20 years and lowed by the National Anthem. gracefully stepped into the The dignitaries were wel-21st year to provide the best comed and felicitated with of Treatments, Procedures beautiful bouquets then the

and Surgeries. program progressed with the The theme called for a launching of our new food buzz as the celebration was menus by our In-house dieticians such as Bun Dosa, "Uniqueness in Unity" where Schewan Dosa, Sagu Fruit people from all over Kolkata Bowl, Gajar ka Healthy Haland West Bengal came to celebrate the occasion with the wa which focused on healthy Chairman & Managing Direcpatient and patient party food. tor - Dr. Purnendu Roy, Di-The employees of the hospirector - Dr. Olivia Dunlop and tal especially the ladies per-CEO MR. Simon Dunlop along formed on a various patriotic with invited guests of honour and Bollywood numbers of a Mr. Chiranjit Chakraborty and combination of old and new. Ms. Richa Sharma. One being The lunch was prepared a renowned Actor and MLĂ by Eastern Staple and Ecclesiastes Cafe in collaboand the other an Actress and Mrs. India. ration with Genesis Hosprogram

pital Kasba Kolkata in the started with lighting the lamp. Bengali authentic which was healthy and tasty. A tribute was made to the martyrs of Pulwama Attack We also announced our ex-

pansion work of the Gene-NAME CHANGE sis Hospital Kasba Kolkata I,A S Sai Sravan Keerthi (Old Name) S/O Krishna Murthy Animella Resident Of Tower from a 100 to a 350 bedded hospital as soon as possible. 5,Floor 7G,Merlin Maximus, B.t.road,Opp. The hospital's legacy to pro-Zudio Sodepur, Po-Panihati, Dist-North 24 vide affordable healthcare Parganas, Pin-700014, West Bengal.i Have year on year has etched Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth a mark on the hearts and Be Known As Animella Sathya Sai Shravan minds of all our well wishers. Keerthy(New Name) Vide An Affidavit We are a Multispeciality Hos-Sworn Before The Notary Public At Kolkata pital with a great track re-On 13/02/2025 A S Sai Šravan Keerthi(Old cord of successful Surgeries, Name) And Animella Sathya Sai Shravan Keerthy (New Name) All Are The Same And Treatments and Procedures. Our mission, vision and aim is to serve people NAME CHANGE

better and cure them to I,Sekh Fazlul Quader (Old Name) S/O Late Sk Abdul Halim, Resident Of Villhave a Healthy Lifestyle. We are blessed to have our Rampura, Po & Ps - Mohanpur, Dist-West well wishers for the last 20 Medinipur, Pin-721436, West Bengal. I Have years and counting now that Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth we are stepping up to the 21st Be Known As Sk Fazlul Quader (New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before The year with the best of Doctors, Notary Public At Kolkata On 13/02/2025. Surgeons and Paramedics That Sekh Fazlul Quader(Old Name) And for the Treatment of one and ISk Fazlul Quader (New Name)All Are The all. Best Wishes to Genesis Hospital Kasba Kolkata

to the school authorities. After assessing the circumstances, the school administration granted entry, and the student was finally able to sit for the crucial exam The timely action of Kol-

food

kata Police ensured that the student did not miss the exam, earning praise from both the student's family and school authorities. The incident highlights the police force's commitment to public service beyond law enforcement, demonstrating their dedication to helping citizens in distress.

ble-check exam centre locations beforehand to avoid similar mishaps in the future.

sistance in emergencies.

of point no. 158A/159 on Down Suburban Line between Halisahar & Naihati stations, Traffic block from 22.30 hrs. on 15.02.2025 to 05.30 hrs. on 16.02.2025.

Consequently, following arrangements have been made in train running: CANCELLATION OF TRAINS ON SATURDAY

(15.02.2025);

Sealdah-Bangaon: 33851, 33859, 33861, 33863/ Down 33854, 33856, 33858, 33860

Naihati-Bandel: UP 37557/ Down 37558.

Sealdah-Gede: UP 31929/ Down 31928. Sealdah-Shantipur: UP 31539/Down 31542. CANCELLATION OF TRAINS ON SUNDAY (16.02.2025): Barasat-Bangaon: 33369/Down 33368.

(ii) 33811, 33813, 33815 & 33817 UP Sealdah-Bangaon Local will be short terminated at Habra on Sunday (16.02.2025) and 33812, 33814, 33816, 33818 & 33822 Down Bangaon-Sealdah Local will be short originated from Habra on Sunday

(16.02.2025).(iii) 31192 Down Kalyani Simanta-Naihati Local will be short terminated at Kalyani (Platform No.4) instead of Naihati on Saturday (15.02.2025) and 31191 UP Naihati-Kalyani Simanta Local will be short Originated from Kalyani (Platform no.4) instead of Naihati on Sunday (16.02.2025). (iv) 63107 UP Sealdah-Lalgola MEMU Passenger will be

instead of 07:12 hrs. (ii) 33361 UP sat-Bangaon Local will be re-scheduled for 30 min i.e, will leave from Barasat at 08:15 hrs instead of 07:45 hrs and will be controlled up to Habra till cancellation of

Krishnanagar City on Sunday

RE-SCHEDULING OF TRAINS ON SUNDAY (16.02.2025):

gaon Local will be re-sched-

uled for 30 min i.e, will leave

from Sealdah at 07:42 hrs

(i) 33819 UP Sealdah-Ban-

(16.02.2025)

Block. (iii) 53180 DN Lalgola-Sealdah Passenger will be re-scheduled for 75 min, i.e, will leave from Lalgola at 16:00 hrs instead of 14:45 hrs

A New Era in Advanced Gynaecological Surgery Begins at Kanchrapara Railway Hospital^{}



MI News Service, Kolkata: In a groundbreaking step towards modern healthcare, Kanchrapara Railway Hospital has successfully performed its first Total Laparoscopic Hysterectomy with Bilateral Salpingo-Oophorectomy, offering hope and relief to patients suffering from severe gynaecological conditions. This achievement marks a new milestone in providing cutting-edge, minimally invasive surgical care to railway employees and their families.

The procedure was performed on a 48-yearold patient diagnosed with Dysfunctional Uterine Bleeding (DUB), a debilitating condition that causes excessive and irregular menstrual bleeding, often affecting daily life and overall well-being. Traditional treatment options can be invasive and require longer recovery times, but laparoscopic surgery provides a safer, faster, and more efficient alternative.

Using one 10mm port and three 5mm ports, the uterus, both ovaries, and fallopian tubes were removed with precision, ensuring minimal trauma and faster healing. The vaginal vault was expertly closed using advanced laparoscopic endosuturing, reinforcing the hospital's expertise in minimally invasive techniques. Thanks to this approach, the patient recovered smoothly and was discharged on the third day, demonstrating the hospital's commitment to quality post-operative care.

This successful procedure reflects the unwavering dedication of the hospital's surgical team and highlights its mission to bring worldclass medical treatment within the reach of railway employees and their families. With continuous advancements in medical technology, Kanchrapara Railway Hospital is setting new benchmarks in healthcare, ensuring faster recovery, reduced hospital stays, and superior patient outcomes.



The Kolkata Police's quick response and efficient coordination not only ensured a student's future was not compromised but also reinforced public trust in their ability to provide timely as-

Nation

Morning India For TV, e-paper & news visit: www.live7tv.com Kolkata, Sunday 05 16 February 2025

ATM thefts rock Kolkata: Three separate incidents reported

Service, fraud in the same area. Kolkata: Kolkata has witnessed a series of ATM frauds and robberies over criminals targeted ATM uslakhs of rupees. Police have launched an investigation into the cases, suspecting a well-organized gang behind the crimes.

In the first case, an ATM fraud incident occurred in the Survey Park area of South Kolkata. The theft took place at an SBI ATM near Kishore Bharati Stadium on Friday night. A vices copy card details and customer, BalaiSardar, attempted to withdraw cash ing fraudsters to withdraw when his debit card got money remotely. The police stuck in the machine. Un- are investigating whethable to retrieve it, he con- er an old Romanian cyber tacted the ATM's helpline, following the instructions given. However, he later received transaction alerts showing that ₹25,000 had been withdrawn in three separate transactions.

Upon returning to the ATM, he found other victims facing similar issues, with one person losing over ₹1 lakh. The affected plaints at Survey Park police station, and an investigation is underway.

Criminals used an ATM skimming device to trap debit cards and steal conmajor security concerns. In tims reported that their three separate incidents, cards got stuck, prompt-criminals targeted ATM us- ing them to call helpline ers and machines, stealing numbers displayed near the ATM. The fraudsters, posing as bank representatives, tricked them into entering their PINs. Soon after, their accounts were emptied in multiple trans-

actions. Cyber experts suggest that criminals use small skimming devices placed inside the card slot. These decapture PIN codes, allow-

gang, previously active in Kolkata, has resurfaced. This method of ATM fraud is not new to Kolkata. Five years ago, a similar case led to the arrest of a Romanian gang by the city's cybercrime unit. With the latest incidents, authorities are concerned that either the same group is active again or another gang customers have filed com- is using similar techniques.

The third incident took place in Howrah's Alampur area, where an ATM rob-A second incident in- bery occurred in the early ed ATMs, and report suspi-

of criminals targeted a government bank ATM on Andul Road. Using gas cutters, they broke open the ATM the past 24 hours, sparking fidential information. Vic- machine, looted the cash, and fled the scene. The intensity of the attack caused a fire inside the ATM, and a broken part of the machine was left on the road. Locals discovered the

damage in the morning and informed the police. CCTV cameras at the ATM were also damaged, making it difficult to identify the culprits. Police Commissioner Praveen Kumar Tripathi confirmed that a gang has been identified, and their vehicle has been seized. However, the exact amount of stolen cash is yet to be determined.

These incidents come just days after Kolkata Police made a significant breakthrough in cyber-crime investigations. Under 'Operation Čyber Shakti,' police arrested 46 fraudsters, including members of the notorious Jamtara gang. However, the rise in ATM-related crimes suggests that new criminal networks are emerging, raising fresh challenges for law enforcement.

Authorities are urging ATM users to remain vigilant, avoid using unguardvolved sophisticated cyber hours of Saturday. A group cious activity immediately.

Elizabeth Gogoi visited Pakistan even after marriage, SIT to investigate matter: Assam CM



is not possible for them to Service, Guwahati : Stepping up live together," Sarma told his attack on the allegations reporters on Friday. about "links" of Elizabeth

Gaurav Gogoi has found himself at the centre of a controversy after a section of BJP workers and leaders, led by Sarma, having raised questions over his wife's "foreign citizenship" and accused her of having ties with the ISI.

They also questioned a meeting Gogoi had led with the then-Pakistani High Commissioner to India ten years ago in 2015.

Dismissing the alle-gations as "laughable", Gaurav Gogoi on Thursday said, "If my wife is an ISI agent of Pakistan, then I am an R&AW agent of India. I don't mind if a family against whom there are various cases and several allegations makes accusations against me. The Assam chief minister is making these allegations only to divert attention from the allegations against him."

Gaurav Gogoi has also said that he will take appropriate legal action over

the Bharatiya Janata Party's "malicious and baseless" allegations against him and his wife over accusations concerning links with Pakistani government and George Soros's Open Society, potentially compromising national interests.

Gogoi had on Thursday taken potshots at Sarma, saying that the latter has been "restless" and is having "doubts" about his chair. CM's have 'Assam

been restless for past 3-4 months. There have been cases of corruption in his PWD department. These news of corruption has reached Delhi. He's having doubts that his CM's chair might be slipping out of the

saving his chair he's doing

also that the state cabinet his wife's foreign citizenwill deliberate on the im- ship. plications of recent revelations concerning an MP from Assam on national

security. Taking to X, Gogoi had said that the BJP has gone to "extreme measures" to defame him and his family. "Their allegations are malicious and baseless. I will be taking the appro-priate legal action." Congress MP wrote.

Sarma has launched an offensive against Congress

।। বিজ্ঞপ্তি ।।

<u>আমমোক্তার নামা</u> শ্রী সুজয় কুমার ঘোষ পিতা কার্ত্তিক চন্দ্র যো সাকিম ভদ্রেশ্বর স্টেশন রোড, ঘৃঙ্গির খাল সারদাপল্লী, ভদ্রেশ্বর, হুগলী-৭১২১২৪ মহাশয বিগত ইং 02/02/ 2021 তারিখে এ.ডি.এস.আর, চন্দননগর, হুগলী অফিসে রেজিষ্ট্রীকৃত IV-42/2021 নং আমমোক্রা দলিল বলে আমার মক্কেল শ্রী সুগ্রীব যাদব পিত শ্রী লক্ষ্মণ যাদর সাকিম ১৬৫, খুঁড়িগাছি রোড নতুনপাড়া, এঙ্গাস, ভদ্রেশ্বর, হুগলী-৭১২২১ মহাশয়কে ক্ষমতাপ্রাপ্ত আমমোক্তার নিযুক্ত করে এবং উক্ত ক্ষমতাপ্রাপ্ত আমমোজাবনামা বরে আমার মক্কেল নিম্নোক্ত তপশীল বর্ণিত সম্পরি বিগত ইং 23/10/2024 তারিখে এ.ডি.এস.আর চন্দননগর, হুগলী, অফিসে রেজিষ্ট্রীকৃত I 3470/2024 নং বিক্রয় কোবালা দলিল মুলে শ্রীমতী সুনন্দা সিং স্বামী শ্রী শশী রঞ্জন কুমার সিং এবং পিতা হরেন্দ্র রায় সাকিম ১০৯, এল. এন আটা রোড, চাঁপদানী, বৈদ্যবাঁচী, ভদ্রেশ্বর, হুগলী ৭১২২২২ মহাশয়াকে ২ কাঠা সম্পত্তি বিক্রুয করেন। <u>তপশীল</u> - জেলা হুগলী, থানা ভদ্রেশ্বর মৌজা খুঁড়িগাছি, ২০ নং জে.এল ভুক্ত, <u>সা</u>বেব ১২৩ তথা হাল এল.আর. ৯৬৬/১ নং খতিয়ানে আর.এস. ২০২৯ নং তথা হাল এল.আর. ২২৫১ নং দাগে শালি জমি ১৭ কাঠা তন্মধ্যে ২ কাঠ আমমোক্তারনামা বলে বিক্রয়কৃত সম্পর্তি হইতেছে। এতদ্বারা সকলকে অবগত কর কুমার সিং এবং পিতা হরেন্দ্র রায় উক্ত খরিদ

যাইতেছে যে, শ্রীমৃতী সুনন্দা সিং স্বামী শশী রঞ্জন পত্তি নিজ নামে নাম পুত্তন করিবার জন বি.এল এ্যান্ড এল.আর.ও সিঙ্গর ব্লক অফিয়ে আবেদন করিয়াছেন/করিতেছেন। ইহাতে কাহারও কোন আইনানগ আপত্রি থাকিলে বিজ্ঞর্থি প্রচার হইবার আগামী ১ মাসের মধ্যে সংশ্লিষ্ঠ অফিসে আপত্তি জানাইতে পারিবেন, অন্যথা নয়ম অনুসারে কার্য্য করা হইবে।

Deo Kumar Prasad (Advocate) Chandernagore Court, Hooghly

Notice regarding Power of Attorney as per West Bengal Govt. Order no. 1000-15/22/2024 dated 27/02/2024.

15/22/2024 dated 27/02/2024. This is to notify that (1) Sri/Smt. /Miss BADRUN NISHA S/W/D of Late Md Zakir Hussain (2) Sri/Smt./Miss ANJUM BANO S/W/D of Md Azad Khan Address RailparHaji Nagar, POAsansol, PS Asansol Dist Paschim Bardhaman, has/have purchased the below mentioned land schedule by virtue of deed/deeds no. 2241 dated _21/March/2014 (Asansol/ DSR/ADSR) with the help of Power of Attorney deed no. IV-381 And, IV-346 dated 25 April 2012 And 12 April 2012 (Asansol ADSR) executed by Sri/Smt./Miss. Sri Ganga Yadav and Sri Anil Yadav S/W/D of Late Dwarika (Gowala) Yadav And Late Laloo Yadav Address Dwarka Dangal PO Asansol PS Asansol (N) Dist Paschim Bardhaman 713302 and the said applicant has/have anplicd with the serve nord chedule for 713302 and the said applicant has/haw applied with the same land schedule for mutation vide mutation case no MN/2025/2305/1752 and case no MN/2025/2305/1752 and case no. MN/2025/2305/2053 at the office of the S.D.L. & L.R.O (EP-1) Dist.- Paschim Bardnaman. If there is any objection for mutation in this respect, any concerned principle are requested to submit objection along with relevant documents to the concerned Revenue Officer at the office of the S.D.L.&L.R.O (EP-1) within one month from the date of publication of this notice, otherwise law will take it own course.

Land Schedule Block :- Sub-Divisional Land and Land Reforms Office (EP-1)

Sarma had said earlier MP raising questions over the Congress MP's political actions and associations

Sooner or later, it will "In 2015, the Pakistani be known how foreign High Commissioner to India, Abdul Basit, invited powers, led by George Soros' ecosystem, influenced a first-term Member of a major decision of Assam Parliament (MP) and his Congress in 2014. The startup, Policy for Youth, truth will emerge in due to discuss India-Pakistan course," Assam ČM Sarma relations at the Pakistan told reporters. High Commission in New "The couple needs to Delhi," Sarma claimed in a answer serious questions post on X without naming

raised regarding close the deputy Leader of Optheir links with the ISI position leader in the Lok and taking young impres-Sabha. Sarma pointed out that sionable minds to the Pakistan High Commission the MP was not a member for brainwashing and rad-

of the Parliamentary Committee on External Affairs Sarma also raised quesat the time, and raised tions on the "timing" of concerns about the purcertain "events" linked to pose of the meeting.

।। বিজ্ঞপ্তি ।।

<u>আমমোক্তার নামা</u> ১) শ্রী স্বপন বনিক পিতা ৺গৌর গোপাল বনিক <u>আমমোক্তার নামা</u> ১) শী স্বপন বনিক পিতা লগৌর গোপাল বনিক শ্রীমতী সবিতা বনিক স্বামী শ্রী স্বপন বনিক শ্রীমতী সবিতা বনিক স্বামী শ্রী স্বপন বনিক নকলের সাকিম ১১৩/৫, শিবতলা ষ্ট্রীট, সকলের সাকিম ১১৩/৫, শিবতলা ষ্ট্রীট, ভদ্রকালী, উত্তরপাড়া, হুগলী, হাল সাকিম ২৮৮, ভদ্রকালী, উত্তরপাড়া, হুগলী, হাল সাকিম ২৮৮, নিউ ষ্টেশন রোড, ভদ্রকালী, উত্তরপাড়া, হুগলী নিউ ষ্টেশন রোড, ভদ্রকালী, উত্তরপাড়া, হুগলী ৭১২২৩২, মহাশয়/মহাশয়া বিগত ইং 04/03/2010 ২১২২৩২, মহাশয়/মহাশয়া বিগত ইং 04/03/ তারিখে এ ডি.এস.আর, শ্রীরমপুর, হুগলী অফিযে 2010 তারিখে এ.ডি.এস.আর, শ্রীরমপুর, হুগলী অফিসে রেজিষ্ট্রীকৃত IV-132/2010 নং আমমোক্তারনামা দলিল বলে আমার মঞ্চেল শ্রী বেজিষ্টীকত IV-0132/2010 নং আমমোজ্ঞাবনাম লিল বলে আমার মক্কেল শ্রী অরুন কুমার মিগ্র অরুন কুমার মিশ্র পিতা তঅশ্বিনী কুমার মিশ্র সাকিম বাসাই, কানাইপুর, উত্তরপাড়া, হুগলী-পিতা অঞ্চিনী কুমার মিশ্র সাকিম বাসাই কানাইপর, উত্তরপাড়া, হুগলী-৭১২২৩৪ মহাশয়বে ক্ষমতাপ্রাপ্ত আমমোক্তার নিযুক্ত করেন এবং উক্ত ৭১২২৩৪ মহাশয়কে ক্ষমতাপ্রাপ্ত আমমোক্তার চমতাপ্রাপ্ত আমমোক্তারনাম[ি] বলে আমার মক্কে নিযুক্ত করেন এবং উক্ত ক্ষমুতাপ্রাপ্ত নিম্নোক্ত তপশীল বর্ণিত সম্পত্তি বিগত ইং আমমোক্তাবনামা বলে আমার মক্লেল নিম্নোক 22/08/2024 তারিখে ডি.এস.আর-Ⅲ, সদর তপশীল বর্ণিত সম্পত্তি বিগত ইং 22/08/2024 ংগলী, অফিসে রেজিষ্ট্রীকৃত I-2834/2024 ন তারিখে ডি.এস.আর-II, সদর, হুগলী, অফিসে বিক্রয় কোবালা দলিল মূলে শ্রী বিজয় কুমার রেজিষ্ট্রীকৃত I-2834/2024 নং বিক্রয় কোবাল রজক পিতা ৺বালেশ্বর রজিক সাকিম ১৬/১/এ/১ নলিল মুলে শ্রী বিজয় কুমার রজক পিত ~বালেশ্বর রজক সাকিম ১৬/১/এ/১, ধর্মতলা রোড, গর্মতলা রোড, বেলুরমঠ, বালি, হাওড়া-৭১১২০ মহাশয়কে ১ কাঠা ৮ ছটাকু ৭ স্কোয়ার ফিট বেলুরমঠ, বালি, হাওড়া-৭১১২০২ মহাশয়কে : ম্পত্তি বিক্রয় করেন। <u>ত**পশীল**</u> - জেলা হুগলী কাঠা ৮ ছটাক ৭ স্কোয়ার ফিট সম্পত্তি বিক্রুয় ধানা শ্রীরামপুর, মৌজা দীর্ঘাঙ্গ, ৪ নং জে.এব করেন। <u>তপশীল</u> - জেলা হুগলী, থানা শ্রীরামপুর ভুক্ত, হাল এল.আর. ৭৬০ নং খতিয়ানে মৌজা দীর্ঘাঙ্গ, ৪ নং জে.এল ভুক্ত, হাল এল.আর মার.এস. ৫৭৪ নং তথা হাল এল.আর. ৬০৫ ন ৭৬০ নং খতিয়ানে, আর.এস. ৫৭৪ নং তথা হা নগে শালি জমি ৩ কাঠা ১৪ স্কোয়ার ফিাঁ এল.আর. ৬০৫ নং দাগে শালি জমি ৩ কাঠা ১৪ আমমোক্তারকত সম্পত্তির মধ্যে ১ কাঠা ৮ ছটাক স্কোয়ার ফিট আমমোক্তারকৃত সম্পত্তির মধ্যে ম স্কোয়ার ফিট অত্র দলিলে বিক্রয়কত সম্পর্তি কাঠা ৮ ছটাক ৭ স্কোয়ার ফিট[`]অত্র দলিলে বিক্রয়ক্ত ইতেছে। এতদ্বারা সকলকে অবগত কর ম্পত্তি হইতেছে। এতদ্বারা সকলকে অবগত কর যাইতেছে যে, শ্রী বিজয় কুমার রজক পিতা ৵বালেশ্বর রজক উক্ত খরিদা সম্পত্তি নিজ নামে যাইতেছে যে, শ্রী বিজয় কুমার রজক পিতা ৺বালেশ্বর রজক উক্ত খরিদা সম্পত্তি নিজ নামে নাম পত্তন করিবার জন্য বি.এল এ্যান্ড নাম পত্তন করিবার জন্য বি.এল এ্যান্ড **এল.আর.ও শ্রীরামপুর ব্লক অফিসে আবেদ**ন এলু.আর.ও শ্রীরামপুর ব্লক অফিসে আবেদন চরিয়াছেন/করিতেছেন। ইহাতে কাহারও কোন করিয়াছেন/করিতেছেন। ইহাতে কাহারও কো মাইনানগ আপত্তি থাকিলে বিজ্ঞপ্তি প্রচার হইবার আইনানগ আপত্তি থাকিলে বিজ্ঞপ্তি প্রচার হইবার মাগামী ১ মাসের মধ্যে সংশ্লিষ্ঠ অফিসে আপত্তি আগামী ১ মাসের মধ্যে সংশ্লিষ্ঠ অফিসে আপত্তি দ্রানাইতে পারিবেন, অন্যথায় নিয়ম অনসারে ার্য্য করা হইবে

icalization," he said.

।। বিজ্ঞপ্তি ।।

জানাইতে পারিবেন, অন্যথায় নিয়ম অনসারে কার্য্য করা হইবে। Deo Kumar Prasad (Advocate) Deo Kumar Prasad (Advocate) Chandernagore Court, Hooghly Chandernagore Court, Hooghly



<u>আমমোক্তার নামা</u> ১)শ্রীমতী সুদীপ্তা মিত্র(পাত্র) স্থামী শ্রী সুজয় মিত্র, পিতা *৺*সৌমেন্দ্র নাথ পাত্র সাকিম ১০৯ ভোল্টা আবিষ্কার ১-উঁড়, শ্যামল রাও হাউসেস অফ স্যাটালাইট রোড, আহমেদাবাদ-৩৮০০১৫, গুজরাট ২)শ্রীমত্তী সুদেষ্ণা চৌধুরী(পাত্র) স্বামী শ্রী সুমিত চৌধুরী, পিতা ৺সৌমেন্দ্র নাথ পাত্র, সাকিম বি ১৬৬ কন্দ্রীয় বিহার, সেকশন-৫১, নয়দা-২০১৩০৭, ইউ.পি., মহাশয়াগণ বিগত ইং 23/03/2004 তারিখে এ.ডি.এস.আর, হগলী, চুঁচুড়া, অফিসে রেজিষ্ট্রীকৃত IV-0030/2004 নং আমমোজ্ঞারনামা দলিল বলে শ্রীমত্যা সুনন্দা পাত্র স্বামী ৺সৌমেন্দ্র নাথ পাত্র সাকিম এরেঙ্গা, খলিসানী, পোলবা, হগলী হাল নাকিম কোয়াটাঁর নং বি/৯১/৫, আর ডি.এস.ও. কলোনী, মানকনগর, লক্ষ্ণেঁ-২২৬০১১, ইউ.পি মহাশয়াকে ক্ষমতাপ্রাপ্ত আসমোক্তার নিযুক্ত করেন এবং উক্ত ক্ষমতাপ্রাপ্ত আমমোক্তারনামা ও স্বয় ক্ষমতাবলে এবং অপর শরিক শ্রী শৈলেন্দ্রনাথ পাত্র পিতা «সুরেন্দ্র নাথ পাত্র যৌথ ভাবে নিম্নোক্ত সশীল বর্ণিত সম্পত্তি বিগত ইং 09/06/2006 তারিখে ডি.এস.আর-I, হুগলী, চুঁচুড়া, অফিসে রেজিষ্ট্রীকৃত I-5979/2006 নং বিক্রয় কোবালা দলিল মূলে শ্রী উৎপল দাস পির্তা শ্রী হৈমন্ত কুমার দাস স্যাকিম কামদেবপুর, পোলবা, হুগলী মহাশয়কে ৪৫ শতক সম্পত্তি বিক্রয় করেন। প্রকাশ থাকে যে, শ্রী উৎপল দাস মহাশয় তাহার খরিদা সম্পত্তির ৪৫ শতকের মধ্যে শ্রী শৈলেন্দ্রনাথ পাত্র মহাশয়ের নিকট হইতে খরিদা ২৩ শতক নিজ নামে নাম পত্তন করেন। কিন্ধ শ্রীমত্যা সনন্দা পাত্র মহাশয়ার নিকট হইতে খরিদা ২২ শতক (যাহার অবিভক্ত ২/৩ অংশ আমমোক্তারনামা বলে প্রাপ্ত)নিজ ইং 11/06/2024 তারিখে এ.ডি.এং রেজিষ্টীকত I-6138/2024 নং বিক্রয় কোবালা দলিল মূলে আমার মঞ্চেল শ্রী স্বপন অধিকারী, পিত নিরঞ্জন অধিকারী সাকিম মহেশপুর, পোলবা, হুগলী-৭১২১০২ মহাশয়কে উক্ত ৪৫ শতক সম্পরি বিক্রয় করেন। <u>তপশীল</u> - জেলা হুগলী, থানা পোলবা, মৌজা এরেঙ্গা, ৭৭ নং জে.এল ভুক্ত, সাবেব তথা হাল এল.আর. ৭৫৫ নং দাগে শালি জমি, যোল আনায় ৪৫ শতকের মধ্যে হাল ২৫৮ নং খতিয়ানে ০.৫০০০ অংশে ২২ শতক (যাহার অবিভক্ত ২/৩ অংশ আমমোক্তারনামা বলে পূর্বে বিক্রয়কৃত) এবং সাবেক ২৩৩ তথা হাল ৭০১ নং খতিয়ানে ০.৫০০০ অংশে ২৩ শতক, একুনে দুইটি খতিয়ানি একত্রে মোট ৪৫ শতক অত্র দলিলে বিক্রয়কত সম্পত্তি হইতেছে। এতদ্বারা সকলকে অবগত করা যাইতেছে যে, আমার মক্কেল শ্রী স্বপন অধিকারী, পিতা নিরঞ্জন অধিকারী, উক্ত খরিদা সম্পত্তি নিজ নামে নাম পত্তন করিবার জন্য বি.এল এয়াও এল.আর.ও পোলবা-দাদপুর, ব্লক অফিসে আবেদন করিয়াছেন/করিতেছেন। ইহাতে কাহারও কোন আইনানুণ আপত্তি থাকিলে বিজ্ঞপ্তি প্রচার হইবার আগামী ১ মাসের মধ্যে সংশ্লিষ্ঠ অফিসে আপত্তি জানাইতে পারিবেন, অন্যথায় নিয়ম অনুসারে কার্য্য করা হইবে। ইতি- সনৎ কুমার শীল (উকিলবাবু) জেলা জজ আদালত, চুঁচুড়া, হুগলী

State Govt increases egg supply in mid-day meals until March

provide additional eggs in mid-day meals for schoolyear. Under this initiative, to finance this initiative. students will receive a part of their supplementary

nutrition plan. Currently, schoolchildren receive one egg per week with their meals. The new their nutritional intake by adding two extra servings of eggs each week. This scheme will benefit bution. 8,593,783 students across the state

Service, will require an estimat- ly those from economically Kolkata: The West Bengal ed ₹75.62 crore from the government has decided to state's mid-day meal budget. The government is utilizing unspent funds from children until March this the Mid-Day Meal program

whole egg twice a week as has instructed district magistrates and mid-day meal officials to oversee the smooth implementation of this program. Schools have been directed to ensure decision aims to enhance properly cooked eggs are provided with meals, maintaining hygienic standards in preparation and distri-

Mid-day meals play a Each egg costs \gtrless 8, and ing malnutrition among proved dietary support in the additional supply schoolchildren, particular- government schools.

weaker sections. Nutrition experts believe this initiative will improve students' overall health and enhance their learning capabilities

Additionally, officials will The state government monitor the effectiveness of the program and ensure that schools adhere to the new guidelines. The government is expected to review the impact of this measure after March before making further decisions This move reflects the

state's commitment to child nutrition and welfare, reinforcing its focus on health crucial role in combat- and education through im-

BJP registers landslide victory in urban bodies poll, CM Sai calls it "historic moment" News Service,

Gogoi (wife of Congress MP Gaurav Gogoi) has vis-ited Pakistan even after

MI

News

Gogoi, wife of Congress

MP Gaurav Gogoi, with ISI, Assam Chief Minister

Himanta Biswa Sarma on

Saturday said that there is

"definite information" that

she visited Pakistan even

after her marriage and a

decision to form a Special

Investigation Team would

be taken at the meeting of

He said a regular case

should be filed to investi-

gate the alleged person's

passport and visa and that

the entire ecosystem, in-

cluding sympathisers, will

The Chief Minister said

"We have definite in-

more and more information

formation that Elizabeth

be investigated.

is coming out.

state cabinet tomorrow.

her marriage. Whether she went with the MP or alone, these things will be confirmed. Many details are coming out," he said. 'Tomorrow, the Assam

Cabinet is going to meet and probably in that meeting, we will take a decision to form an SIT because unless a regular case is registered, the passport and visa of the alleged person involved will not be investigated. We will also investigate the entire ecosystem, including sympathizers. We are going to conduct a detailed investigation," he

added. He said there is also need to probe if during that pe-"there was attempt riod by ISI to infiltrate into the office of Chief Minister of Assam". "That also has to be examined now," he said. The has been a war of

words between Himanta hand. In this restlessness of Biswa Sarma and Gaurav Gogoi over the latter's wife having alleged links with the Pakistan agency. Sarma had on Friday said that he wanted clarification from Congress' Deputy Leader of Opposition in the Lok Sabha "How can ISI and R&AW live together in the same house?...We are not accusing anyone, but we want some facts to come out. I have some questions. Firstly, is it true or false that the MP's wife worked in Pakistan? Secondly, if she has taken Indian citizenship or not. Thirdly, if the MP had visited Pakistan during this time and while meeting the Pakistan ambassador, if he had taken permission from the External affairs ministry or not....How can ISI and R&AW stay in the same house? ISI is Paki-

the slogan 'Vishnu Ka Suof Chief Minister Vishnu Deo Sai) and promises made in Atal Vishwas Patra (BJP's manifesto for Civic body election), the Bharatiya Janata Party registered a landslide victory in urban bodies poll in Chhattisgarh.

Notably, under the leadership of CM Sai, the BJP won mayoral posts in all 10 municipal corporations and the post of chairperson in 35 municipal councils and 81 Nagar panchayats.

bodies, including 10 municipal corporations, 49 Nagar Panchayats, were will be fulfilled. held on February 11.

ister Vishnu Deo Sai said, es," he said.

Todav is a historic mo-Raipur: Riding high on ment for the BJP as well as the Chhattisgarh govshasan' (good governance ernment. The day will be mentioned in the history of Chhattisgarh with a golden letter because the BJP has registered a landslide victory in civic body elections and demolished the fortress" (referring to Raipur

Municipal Corporation). The Chief Minister said people have showcased faith in the state governantee', and 'Atal Vishwas Patra'

Earlier, CM stated that Elections to 173 urban Atal Viswas Patra has been municipal councils and 114 Congress, these promises ment.

"Unlike Congress, which Expressing gratitude to makes promises and does hattisgarh's capital was the public for giving the not fulfil them later, the "demolished", and the BJP BJP a mandate, Chief Min- BJP will fulfil the promis- registered a historic victory.

He further slammed Congress for holding "indirect elections" for the mayor post.

"Congress had murdered the democracy by conducting the indirect election of mayor post," he said, adding that the Congress candidate "who became mayor (referring to Aijaz Dhebar) through indirect election had lost the election for the

post of corporation." When the BJP was headment, BJP, 'Modi Ki Guar- ing towards a landslide victory in the municipal corporations, councils, and

Nagar panchayats, the CM thanked the people of Chprepared after extensive hattisgarh for trusting the brainstorming and unlike party and the state govern-

He further said that the Congress fortress in Ch-

spiritual gathering.

Mouza : - Asansol Municipality that. If he had done work J.L. No. :- 20 than he wouldn't have to Plot No. - 18687 take help of this disillusion Name of the recorded owner :-DWARIKA and lice. That's personal icand lies. That's personal is-Khatian :- 5861 sues. We will do our work. We will raise the voice of people," Gogoi told ANI.

আমার মক্কেল রামাকান্ত বেহারা, পিতা- শ্রীধর বেহারা মহাশয় গত ইং ০৮.০৩.১৯৯৯ তারিখে হাওডা এ্যাডিঃ ডিঃ সাব রেজিষ্ট্রী অফিসে রেজিষ্ট্রীকৃত বুক নং-৪, ভ্যলুম নং-২, পাতা নং-৬৩ হইতে ৬৬, বিয়িং নং-৮৬ নং পাওয়ার অফ এ্যাটর্নী বা আমমোক্তার নামা দলিল বলে ১। কাশীনাথ প্রজাপতি, ২। কৈলাশ প্রজাপতি, ৩। অশোক কুমার প্রজাপতি, ১ হইতে ৩ নং পিতা হীরালাল প্রজাপতি, ৪। ঘনঝটা প্রজাপতি, ৫। আউধ প্রজাপতি. ৬। মনিব প্রজাপতি. ৪ নং হইতে ৬ নং পিতা রাজারাম প্রজাপতি মহাশয়গণদের নিকট হইতে জগদীশপুর মৌজায় (জে.এল. নং-২) সাবেক ২০৪৬ নং হাল ১১২ নং খতিয়ানে সাবেক ৪৬৭৪নং হাল ৪৬৯৯ নং দাগে ২ কাঠা জমি বিক্রয় করিবার জন্য ক্ষমতাপ্রাপ্ত হইয়াছেন। উক্ত বিষয়ে কারোর কোনও প্রকার আপত্তি থাকিলে বালি-জগাছা বি.এল. এ্যান্ড এল.আর.ও. অফিসে যোগাযোগ কবিবেন ।

Notice Notice is hereby given to public that my clients M/s Kalyaneswari Polyfabes Pvt. Ltd and MS KALYA-NESHWARI UDYOG PVT LTD. Unit I and II Repre-sented by of the below mentioned property owner Kamal Kishore Agarwal, Vijay Agarwal, Bajrang Kumar Agarwal, Rajesh Kumar Agarwal, Neelam Agarwal at Mouza- Melakola, JL. No. 73, Khatian No. 154, 256, 145, 154/1, 124 & 229,360, 64, 191, 126, 198, 53, 29, 184, 216, 223, 51, 681, 204, 118

Notice

Notice It is hereby notified to the general public that (1) Tripti Chatterjee, wife of Krishnendu Chatterjee, (2) Debayan Chattopadhyay, son of Krishnendu Chatterjee, all are resident of Vill. & P.O. Guskara under Ausgram Police Station in Purba Bardhaman District, PIN - 713128, have for the purpose of maintenance and transfer/sale of the property situated in Guskara Mouza, J.L. No. 110, L.R. Knatian No. 8463, 8287 & 8462, Piot No. 2932, under Ausgram Police Station, Purba Bardhaman District, appointed Ayananta Builders Pvt. Ltd., represented by (1) Debayan Chattopadhyay, son of Krishnendu Chatterjee, (2) Shreyasi Chatterjee, wife of Debayan Chatterjee resident of Vill. & P.O. Guskara under Ausgram Police Station in Purba Bardhaman District, PIN-713128, as their Power of Attorney Deed Registered as No. 3478 on 11.12.2015 at A.D.S.R., Guskara Chattopadhyay & Shreyasi Chatterjee, has transferred/sold the said perperty to my clients (1) Smt. Shyamali Basu, wife of Sri Nirmal Basu, (2) Sri Nirmal Basu, wife of Sri Nirmal Basu, (2) Sri Nirmal Basu, son of Sri Shambhunath Basu, both residents of Vill. & P.O. Shibda, P.S. Ausgram, Purba Bardhaman, PIN - 713128, through a Sale Deed Registered as No. 3597 of 2018 at A.D.S.R., Guskara Office. Any person having any objection regarding the said transfer/sale is hereby required to notify the office of the B.L. & L.N.C. Guskara, or the concerned office within 30 days from the date of publication of this notification. Failing this, the name of the applicant will be mutaed/recorded as per law. . Bistrict Judges' Court, Purba Bardhaman

- Sayan Sen, Advocate District Judges' Court, Purba Bardhaman

৷৷ বিজ্ঞপ্তি ৷৷

<u>আমমোক্তার নামা</u> শ্রী বসন্ত ঘোষ পিতা ৺কেবল চন্দ্র ঘোষ সাকিম খুঁড়িগাছি, সারদাপল্লী, ভদ্রেশ্বর, হুগলী-৭১২১২৪ মহাশয় বিগত ইং 07/05/2013 তারিখে এ.ডি.এস.আর, চন্দননগর, হুগলী অফিসে রেজিস্ট্রীকৃত IV-144/2013 নং আমমোক্তারনামা দলিল বলে মহম্মদ সালাউদ্দিন পিতা মহম্মদ দারগাঁহী সাকিম গ্র্যাঙ্গাস রেললাইন, এ্যাঙ্গাস, ভদ্রেশ্বর, হুগলী মহাশয়কে ক্ষমতাপ্রাপ্ত আমমোক্তার নিযুক্ত করেন এব অগণাণ কেলোহন, আপাণ, তথ্যের্বর, হালা নহান্যকে ফনতাত্রান্ত আনবনেজার নির্ভুত করেন অবহ উক্ত ক্ষমতাপ্রাপ্ত আমমোক্তারনামা বলে নিম্নোক্ত তপশীল বর্ণিত সম্পত্তি বিগত ইং 03/06/2013 তারিখে এ.ডি.এস.আর, চন্দননগর, হুগলী, অফিসে রেজিষ্ট্রীকৃত I-1706/2013 নং বিক্রয় কোবালা দলিল মূলে মহম্মদ হাসমুদ্দিন পিতা মহম্মদ সফী সাকিম আঙ্গাস নৰ্থ গোয়ালাপাড়া, এ্যাঙ্গাস, ভদ্ৰেশ্বর, হুগলী মহাশয়কে ৫ কাঠা সম্পত্তি বিক্রয় করেন। প্রকাশ থাকে যে, মহম্মদ হাসমুদ্দিন মহাশয় উক্ত খরিদা সম্পত্তি নিজ নামে নাম পত্তন না করিয়াই বিগত ইং 10/11/2023 তারিখে এ.ডি.এস.আর স্দননগর, হুগলী অফিসে রেজিষ্ট্রীকৃত I-3927/2023 নং আমমোক্তারনামা দলিল বলে মৃহঃ আজাদ পিতা মহঃ সকর সাকিম ১৪/১ এস এম বাই লেন চাঁপদানী বৈদবোটী ভদেশ্বর ভগলী-৭১১১১১ মহাশয়কে নিজ খরিদা ৫ কাঠা সম্পত্তির মধ্যে ৪ কাঠা সম্পত্তির ক্ষমতাপ্রাপ্ত আমমোক্তার নিযুক্ত করে-এবং উক্ত ক্ষমতাপ্রাপ্ত আমমোক্তারনামা বলে নিম্নোক্ত তপশীল বর্ণিত সম্পত্তি বিগত ইং 08/12/2023 তারিখে এ.ডি.এস.আর, চন্দননগর, হুগলী, অফিসে রেজিষ্ট্রীকৃত I-4145/ 2023 নং বিক্রয় কোবান দলিল মূলে আমার মর্ক্বেল মহঃ ফারুক পিতা মহঃ সফিউল্লা সাকিম ২, কে.বি.এম. রোড, চাঁপদানী বৈদ্যবাটী, ভদ্রেশ্বর, হুগলী-৭১২২২২ মহাশয়কে ১ কাঠা ১২ ছটাক সম্পত্তি বিক্রয় করেন। <u>তপশীল</u> জেলা হুগলী, থানা ভদ্রেশ্বর, মৌজা খুঁড়িগাছি, ২০ নং জে.এল ভুক্ত, সাবেক ১৬১ তথা হাল এল.আর ৫৩১ নং খতিয়ানে, আর.এঁস. ১০৬ঁ৩ নং তথা হাল এল.আর. ১০৯০ নং দাগে কলাবাগান জমি। কাঠা তন্মধ্যে ১ কাঁঠা ১২ ছটাক অত্র দলিলে আমমোক্তারনামা বলে বিক্রয়কৃত সম্পত্তি হইতেছে এতদ্বারা সকলকে অবগত করা যাইতেছে যে, বর্তমান ক্রেতা আমার মক্কেল মহঃ ফারুক পিতা মহ াফিউল্লা উক্ত খরিদা সম্পত্তি নিজ নামে নাম পত্তন করিবার জন্য বি.এল এ্যান্ড এল.আর.ও সিঙ্গুর ব্লব অফিসে আবেদন করিয়াছেন/করিতেছেন। ইহাতে কাহারও কোন আইনানুগ আপত্তি থাকিলে বিজ্ঞপ্তি প্রচার হইবার আগামী ১ মাসের মধ্যে সংশ্লিষ্ঠ অফিসে আপত্তি জানাইতে পারিবেন, অন্যথায় নিয় Deo Kumar Prasad (Advocate) অনুসারে কার্য্য করা হইবে।

Chandernagore Court, Hooghly

SYMBOLIC POSSESSION NOTICE

Branch Office : ICICI BANK LTD, BP-4, Technopolis Building, 4th Floor, Sector V, Salt Lake City, Kolkata West Bengal - 700091 CIN No: L65190GJ1994PLC021012, www.icicibank.com

The Authorised ICICI Bank Officer under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued Demand Notices to the borrower(s) mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said Notice.

Having failed to repay the amount, the Notice is issued to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken symbolic possession of the property described below, by exercising powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property. Any dealings with the property will be subject to charges of ICICI Bank Limited.

Sarkar/ Purba Shanti 100, Hal Khatian No. 460, Present Khatian No. Rs. Duar/ Nagar Ward No 20, Near 1051, Mouza Damanpur, Pargana Baksha, B.L. & 23,90,258/- Delhi Purba Santi Nagar L.R.O. Alipur Duar-1, Police Station & Additional District Sub Registry Office Alipur Duar, District Jalpaiguri, West Bengal Jalpaiguri, West Bengal Jalpaiguri, West Bengal Land Measuring As Per Deed I 3066 = 03 Decimal Decimal	Sr. No		Description of Property/ Date of Symbolic Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs)	Name of Branch
TBJP100006275164 Date of Symbolic 11.02.2025	1.	Sarkar/ Purba Shanti Nagar Ward No 20, Near Purba Santi Nagar Primary School, District Jalpaiguri, West Bengal Alipur Duar- 736121/ LBHOW00005745101/	100, Hal Khatian No. 460, Present Khatian No. 1051, Mouza Damanpur, Pargana Baksha, B.L. & L.R.O. Alipur Duar-1, Police Station & Additional District Sub Registry Office Alipur Duar, District Jalpaiguri, West Bengal. Admeasuring An Area o Land Measuring As Per Deed I 3066 = 03 Decim & I 3067 = 03 Decimal, Total 06 Decimal./	Rs. 23,90,258/-	

Part of our effort to realise PM Modi's vision: Yogi Adityanath inaugurates Kashi Tamil Sangamam

Varanasi: Uttar Pradesh Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath on Saturday extended his greetings to Prime Minister Narendra Modi after effort to realise the vision of 'Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat'

"I am grateful to Prime Minister Narendra Modi. Under his leadership, Kashi Tamil Sangamam is inaugurated for the third consecutive time on the holy land of Vishwanath. For us, this is a part of our efforts to carry forward Prime Minister Shreshtha Bharat'. This event is important because the world's largest spiritual and cultural event, Mahakumbh, is going on Referring to the Ma- India. He said that Agastya in Prayagraj," Adityanath hakumbh in Prayagraj, was a medium that con-

Service, said while addressing the Adityanath said that no other event in the world

gathering at Namo Ghat. He highlighted that over has matched its scale. He 51 crore devotees have emphasised the opportunitaken a dip in the Triveni Sangam (the confluence inaugurating Kashi Tamil of Ganga, Yamuna, and Sangamam 3.0, calling it an the mythical Saraswati), demonstrating unity beyond caste and regional differences.

"Mahakumbh has wit- which has connected 51 nessed approximately 51 crore devotees taking hold dip in the Triveni Sangam. This shows the faith and the unity of the country. It gives out a message that Kashi Tamil Sangamam as there is no discrimination well, so I heartily congratbased on caste or region. ulate and welcome all of Modi's vision of 'Ek Bharat People are coming from you," the UP CM said. across the country, reflecting on the idea of 'Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat'," he added.

nected Kashi with Tamil.

"Maharishi Agastya has been a medium to connect Sanskrit and Tamil, Kashi and Tamil, and north and ty to connect Kashi Tamil Sangamam with this grand south (India). Kashi has been famous since an-

stan, and R&AW is India; it

"No bigger event than cient times as a spiritual this has taken place anycity in India and a city of where in the world. It is knowledge and heritage. the biggest event to date, Kashi Tamil Sangamam, which carries such an ancient heritage, connects crore devotees till now, and all of us with our heritage I am happy that this time, that Prime Minister Modi along with the organisation of Mahakumbh, there is calls Ek Bharat Shreshtha an opportunity to connect Bharat," he said.

Earlier today, the Uttar Pradesh Chief Minister surveyed Varanasi's ghats ahead of the inauguration Adityanath further inof Kashi Tamil Sangamam voked Maharishi Agastya's 3.0. Devotees continue to efforts to connect the northarrive in large numbers afern part of India with south ter their visit to Prayagraj, and the survey will continue until February 24.

126, 198, 53, 29, 184, 216, 223, 51, 681, 204, 118, 157, 11, 30, 169, 277, 213, 292, 367, 368, 369, 246, 204 Plot No. 317, 319, 285, 287, 314, 286, 26, 264, 332, 349, 354, 355, 771/808, 771/809, 775/812, 347, 353,771, 351, 768, 767, 771/810, 771/811, 779, 782, 347,771, 782, 360, 361, 773, 775, 357, 358, 288, 284 P.O.& P.S. Salanpur, Dist. Asansol,Dist.Paschim Bardhaman (WB). Total Area of Land (186.00+10.00+181.00+ 181.00+258.00+ 17.00+17.00+93.00 +28.00 +21.00) Decimals 1092.00 Decimals or 475,675.20 Sq.ft. and Mou-ta: Punuri, Mouza/J.L. No. 22, C.S. Plot No. 868, 369, 870, 871, 872, 873 & 888, Khatian No. 31, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873 & 868, Khatian No. 31, 131, 150, 193 & 298 PO. & PS. Kulti, Dist-Pas-chim Bardhaman (West Bengal) total Area of Land 253.00 Decimals or 1,10,206.80 Sqft. and Mouza-Punuri, Mouzal, JL. No. 22, C. S. Plot No. 772, 781, 783, 785, 784, 786, 787, Khatian No. 310, 354, 457. 126, 201, 127, 343, 183 & 452, P.O. & P.S. Kulti, Dist-Paschim Bardhaman (West Bengal) total Area of Land 167.00 Decimals or 72745.20 Sg.ft. and Mouza: Herelgoria, JL No, -57 RS & LR Plot No 219, 218, 224, 225, 221, 340, 207,220 &223 RS LR Khatian Nos.: 364, 164,428, 118, 254, 231,2

298, 205, 141, 186, 178,& 413, Kulti, P.O.Mith, P.S.Kulti, Dist-Paschim Burdwan (W.B.) total A of Land 333.00 Decimals or 145054.80 Sq.ft any person is having possessory right or by w law of inheritance or legal heirs and successor said property of the said property then the cont the undersigned within 14 days of the publicati

Otherwise, no claim will be entertained. Ratan Prasad Advocate LLB,PGDIPR NEW DELHI Mobile 7004413837

For TV, e-paper & news visit: www.live7tv.com Morning India SUNDAY, KOLKATA, FEBRUARY 16, 2025

MIXED BAG

Pioneering Study on Hinduphobia by Gandhian Peace Society Highlights Systemic Challenges

New Delhi : In a landmark move, the Scotland Holyrood's Cross-Party Group (CPG) on Challenging Racial and Religious Prejudice has accepted a comprehensive report documenting anti-Hindu discrimina-tion in Scotland. Titled "Hinduphobia in Scotland: Understanding, Addressing, and Overcoming Prejudice", the study by the Gandhian Peace Society (GPS) is the first UK parliamentary-recognized analysis of its kind, blending statistical data with firsthand accounts from Scotland's Hindu community.

The report, presented by Anuranjan Jha (President of GPS), Dhruva Kumar, Sukhi Singh Bains, and contributed by Ajit Trivedi, with special input from Neil Lal, President of the Indian Council of Scotland, was discussed at the Cross-Party Group meeting chaired by Foysol Choudhary and convened by Professor Peter Hopkins. The group includes representatives from the Jewish, Muslim, and Hindu communities, emphasising a cross-cultural dialogue on prejudice and religious discrimination.

Professor Peter Hopkins commended the report's comprehensive nature, while Foysol Choudhary praised the Gandhian Peace Society for bringing Hinduphobia into public discourse. Dhruva Kumar, General Secretary of the Gandhian Peace Society, emphasised the significance of addressing Hinduphobia, noting its impact on daily life, workplaces, and educational institutions.

Key Findings: Rising Prejudice and Institutional Gaps

The report, presented to the CPG on 23 January, reveals systemic challenges faced by Scotland's Hindu population, which con-stitutes 0.3% of the country's 5.4 million residents. Key findings include:



o Surge in Hate Crimes: Police records show a 56% increase in charges linked to anti-Hindu prejudice between 2019-2021. Incidents range from the 2021 vandalism of Dundee's Shree Sanatan Mandir with anti-Hindu graffiti to a 2020 arson attack on Edinburgh's Radha Krishna Temple.

o Workplace Discrimination: Hindus face the lowest public-sector recruitment rates among religious groups-1.99% at NHS Greater Glasgow, 2.7% at Glasgow City Council, and 1.39% at Renfrewshire Council. A 2022 study found 93% of Hindu employees avoid religious attire at work, while 38% report denied religious holiday requests.

o Social Stigma: 16% of Scots surveyed expressed discomfort with a relative marrying a Hindu, surpassing rates for Muslims (14%), Jews (11%), or Buddhists (9%).

Collaborative Research and Parliamentary Response The GPS, a charity founded on Mahatma Gandhi's principles of nonviolence, collaborated with academics, interfaith leaders, and Hindu community members over 8 months to compile the report. Prof Dhruva Kumar, GPS General Secretary and former parliamentary candidate, spearheaded the research.

 \oplus

"This report isn't just about data-it's about lived experiences," said Kumar. "From temple attacks to workplace bias, Scottish Hindus deserve safety and digni-

The CPG, praised the study as "a critical tool for policymakers," adding that it "bridges gaps in understanding religious discrimination." Professor Peter Hopkins, CPG Convenor, emphasised its "evidence-based approach" to fostering inclusive policies. Recommendations for Action The report proposes a four-pillar strat-

egy: 1. Legal Reforms: Strengthen Scotland's Hate Crime Act to explicitly recognize Hinduphobia.

2. Éducation: Revise school curricula to include accurate Hindu teachings and his-

tory. 3. Workplace Policies: Mandate anti-discrimination training and religious accommodation guidelines

4. Community Support: Establish inter-faith networks and victim support hubs. Sukhi Bains, a diversity consultant and

co-author, stressed collaboration: "This isn't a Hindu issue alone. It's about building a Scotland where diversity is protect-

Global Context and Grassroots Impact While small in number, Scottish Hindus have contributed significantly to sectors like healthcare, education, and technology. The report has garnered attention from 100+ media outlets globally, including ANI and ThePrint. The report has sparked widespread public dialogue, with its findings and implications discussed on Awaz FM 107.2 by Dhruva Kumar, Sukhi Bains, and Acharya Abhishek Joshi. Their discussions focused on the need for societal change, garnering strong support from listeners across Scotland. Indian community members Acharya Abhishek Josi, Awaz FM co-presenter Rishab Choudhary, renowned surgeon and devout Hindu Dr. Sanjeev Chitnis, and Poonam Prajapati, a leading figure in Hindi education in Scotland, expressed their strong appreciation for the report and shared their experi-ences on Awaz FM, a prominent Asian radio station in Scotland.

How Fertility Centers are Adapting to Later Parenthood Trends



Kolkata: Dr. Sugata shares In recent years, fertility centers across India have witnessed a significant shift in the age of individuals and couples seeking reproductive assistance. With societal changes and evolving career priorities, more people are opting to start their families later in life. This has led to the growing trend of later parenthood, prompting fertility centers to adapt their services to cater to the unique needs of older parents.

"Fertility centers are adapting to the growing trend of later parenthood by offering innovative solutions that cater to the unique needs of older individuals and couples. As more people choose to start families in their 30s and 40s, fertility centers are providing advanced options such as egg freezing, genetic testing, and personalized IVF treatments to improve success rates," says Dr. Sugata Mishra, IVF Specialist at Birla Fertility and IVF, Kolkata.

As the average age of firsttime mothers continues to rise, many women are opting to preserve their fertility by freezing their eggs. This option allows them to delay childbearing until they are ready, without compromising their chances of conception. Furthermore, genetic testing has gained prominence as a tool to identify potential risks and ensure the health of both the mother and child.

Fertility centers are also offering personalized IVF treatments tailored to the specific needs of older patients. Advanced technologies, such as embryo freezing, genetic screening, and improved culture media, have significantly increased the success rates of fertility treatments. shares

Sugata Additionally, these centers are focusing on educating patients about fertility preservation, offering financial support options, and ensuring access to the latest tech-

V D Satheesan questions basis of Shashi Tharoor article praising Kerala's entrepreneurial growth

Malappuram(Kerala) : Leader of Opposition in the state assembly V Satheesan on Saturday questioned the basis for Congress MP Shashi Tharoor's recent article in an English daily praising the aı growth in Keral under the LDF government. Tharoor in his article had also said that Kerala was well positioned to continue leading India's tech and entrepreneurial transformation On Saturday, speaking to reporters at Perinthalmanna here, Satheesan said neither he nor the party knows what were the circumstances or statistics based on which the Congress MP wrote the article. The party can examine the circumstances or the statistics based on which he wrote it," he

that the Congress MP always talks based on facts. Rejecting what Tharoor said

ported Tharoor's article, saying

about the industrial sector in Kerala, Satheesan claimed that did not have

stalls set up by Malayalees returning from abroad should not be counted as industrial enterprises in Kerala

"So, we do not agree with the state government's claim," he said. He said that the opposition was

willing to help in establishing an excellent industrial environment in the state

Responding to Tharoor's article, Rajeeve said that the Congress MP's praise was for the state as a whole and not just the Left government or the chief minister.

"The opposition too can claim a share of that praise as a lot of developmental and entrepreneurial work has taken place in their constituencies," he said. He further said that Tharoor's article only indicated his interest for the state being a Malayalee and an MP from Kerala. The minister also said that the state has received various accolades for its achievements in the industrial and entrepreneurial fields which have been acknowledged by everyone. "The acknowledgements are meant for the entire state and not just the CPI(M) and the LDF. We should all work together to strengthen these fields. Some are forgetting to do so due to their narrow political mindsets. Hopefully they will change their

stand," Rajeeve said.

New Delhi : Appearing on Prime Minister Narendra 'Pariksha Pe Charcha', Sadhguru Jaggi Vasudev, spiritual leader and founder of the Isha Foundation, advised students to approach textbooks playfully and not consider them a challenge ahead of any examination. Interacting with students at the eighth edition of 'Pariksha Pe Charcha' Sadhguru said, "Your textbook is not a challenge for your intelligence, no matter who you are. No matter if you have not done well in school till now, I'm still telling you for your intelligence that textbooks are not a challenge. You're unnecessarily making it difficult for

yourself by approaching it in a cer-tain way. Make your textbook itself into a play. Why can't you learn playfully? If you make it playful, your textbook is not a challenge."



"Making miracle of mind sparkle" Sadhguru shares

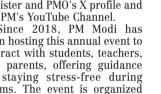
the world," he further said. He said that everybody can

When your physical body is well exercised it can function better. Then why is it not true with mental faculties? The more exercised you are the better they function. If you save it for future it will vanish. It is like a cloud,'

The Pariksha Pe Charcha episode was broadcast across platforms including on the Prime Minister and PMO's X profile and the PM's YouTube Channel.

Since 2018, PM Modi has been hosting this annual event to interact with students, teachers, and parents, offering guidance on staying stress-free during exams. The event is organized by the Department of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Education. The first three edi tions of PPC were held in New Delhi in a town hall interactive format. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the fourth edition was held online in the form of a telecast program Doordarshan and all major TV channels. The fifth, sixth and seventh editions of PPC were again held in town-hall format at Talkatora Stadium, New Delhi.

tips for exam students on 'Pariksha Pe Charcha' Sadhguru said.





On the other hand, Kerala Industries Minister P Rajeeve sup-

a good industrial environment.

"It needs to improve. We want it to improve," he said.

The opposition leader further said that he had recently questioned Rajeeve's claim that in the last three-and-a-half years, three lakh new enterprises were started in Kerala "If that was true, I asked him

which were these 3 lakh new enterprises as there has to be a minimum of 2,000 such entities in every assembly constituency.

"Are there 2,000 such enterprises in Perinthalmanna? How about 500?" Satheesan asked. He further said that small bak-

eries, garment shops or roadside

VP Dhankhar attends SMVDU convocation

in J-K says national interest supreme

He said that if students have to be competent, they need access.

"To find access, there are many aspects to it. One important thing is you have an active dynamic intelligence. Don't ever think, am I as intelligent as this person or that person? There is no such thing. It is a farce that has been spread in

sparkle in the world.

"Everybody can sparkle and do things that others cannot imagine. The only thing is, because there is no striving, that sparkle doesn't happen. School, education and examination is about the longing to know, making the miracle of your mind sparkle. There are a lot of studies that are brain mapping. Recent studies have shown

they see large part of the brain is lit up, this needs to happen that everything is lit up," he said.

when people become meditative

with Shambhavi Mahamudra,

He said that what people use is up to them.

Intelligence is not about usefulness. Intelligence creates a profoundness of experience of life. The more you activate your intelligence, the more access you have to everything that you see.

UAE launches landmark \$60 million initiative to expand accessible education for visually impaired students in Ethiopia

Abu Dhabi [UAE : Under the directives of UAE President Sheikh Mohamed bin Zayed Al Nahyan, the UAE announced a new USD 60 million initiative from the Khalifa Bin Zayed Al Nahyan Foundation for the development of schools to support the educa-tional needs of visually impaired students across Ethiopia.

This initiative will be led by the Khalifa Bin Zayed Al Nahyan Foundation, a portfolio entity of Erth Zaved Philanthropies, in collaboration with the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia. It builds on the success of the Sheikha Fatima bint Mubarak School for the Blind in Addis Ababa, which was inaugurated in May 2024.

The agreement was signed by Mohamed Haji AlKhoori, Director-General of the Khalifa Bin Zayed Al Nahyan Foundation, in the presence of Sheikh Shakhboot bin Nahyan Al Nahyan, Minister of State and member of the Board of Trustee Erth of Zaved Philanthropies, along with Zinash Tayachew, First Lady of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia, among other dignitaries.

With an estimated 1.2 million visually impaired individuals in Ethiopia, including 332,000 clas-sified as blind, this initiative directly addresses a pressing humanitarian need by reaching rural areas where educational and healthcare services remain limited. Ethiopia also has one of the highest global rates of trachoma, a preventable eye disease

> \bigoplus



that disproportionately affects underserved communities. With the support of the Ethiopian Ministry of Education, the new schools will serve as centres of excellence, integrating cuttingedge assistive technologies, specialised curricula, and tailored vocational programmes to empower visually impaired students with the skills necessary for higher education and workforce integration.

Sheikh Theyab bin Mohamed bin Zayed Al Nahyan, Deputy Chairman of the Presidential Court for Development and Fallen Heroes' Affairs, Chairman of the International Humanitarian and Philanthropic Council, and Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Erth Zayed Philanthropies, said, "The UÅE remains dedicated to supporting people of determination worldwide. A key element is ensuring that visually impaired

students in Ethiopia can access inspiring and inclusive learning environments that meet their specialised needs, thereby enabling them to reach their full potential. This initiative represents the shared commitment by the UAE and Ethiopia to ensure that everyone, regardless of the challenges they may face, can thrive in an inclusive and equitable global society." Sheikh Shakhboot bin Nahyan Al Nahyan said, "The UAE has long recognised that sustainable development and strategic collaboration are the key drivers of lasting change. This initiative reflects our unwavering commitment to uplifting communities, creating economic opportunities, and expanding access to

essential services. Our partner-

ship furthers the vision of African

states to invest in education as a

catalyst for future prosperity,

empowering youth to realise

added, "We are grateful to the UAE for their continued partnership, which supports our goal of ensuring that every citizen. regardless of their abilities, has access to quality education. Together, our shared commit-ment will help to create a more inclusive society where every student has the opportunity to succeed." Mohamed Haji AlKhoori said, "Education is a fundamental right, and every child deserves the opportunity to learn in an environment that supports their unique needs. By strengthening educational systems, we are laying the foundation for a more inclusive and equitable future. This initiative reaffirms the power of global partnerships in driving lasting impact, ensuring that education remains a catalyst for opportunity and empowerment for generations to come.

their full potential and drive sus-

First Lady Zinash Tayachew

tainable growth.

Together with the Sheikha Fatima bint Mubarak School for the Blind, the new schools announced today will create a network across Ethiopia to expand access to inclusive education. The UAE's commitment to strengthening Ethiopia's educational infrastructure ensures that every visually impaired child, regardless of socioeconomic background, can thrive in a supportive learning environment that empowers them to contribute to society.

gdeep D khar

Katra : Vice President Jagdeep Dhankhar on Saturday attended the Shri Mata Vaishno Devi University (SMVDU) convocation here, emphasising that national interest is bigger than any political or individual interest

Lt Governor Manoj Sinha, Chief Minister Omar Abdullah, Educational minister Sakeena Firdous also attended the 10th Matrika convocation at Auditorium of the SMVDU campus

"We are Indians and being Indian is our identity. Nationalism is our religion and it is our duty to keep nationalism at the highest level whatever the situation," the vice president said, addressing the convocation. "No political or indi-

vidual interest can be bigger than the national interest," he said, highlighting India's progress under the leadership of Prime Minister Narendra Modi over the We must march past 10 years. ahead, fast-tracking our journey toward a developed Bharat, he said. "One significant step in this direction is the transformation from the Danda Vidhan to the Nyaya Vidhan, unshackling the colonial mindset." "You are living in a confident and resilient India, the vice president said. Today. Bharat is being celebrated globally as a favorite destination for investment and opportunity. Never before in our history since

sance

independence has the voice of an Indian Prime Minister been so

resonant with global leaders, he said. Dhankhar emphasised that the transformation in Jammu and Kashmir is not just a regional phenomenon but a significant part of India's national renais-In the academic year 2023-24, a total of 684 students of the

SMVDU have qualified for the Bachelor's Degree in different disciplines; 147 students for Master's Degree; 34 students for Integrated Master's degree and 44 students for the award of Ph D Degree. A total of 26 medals, nine certificates of distinction and 10 Infosys foundation prize for excellence were presented to the selected students by the dignitaries, a university official said.



Morning India

For TV, Epaper & News visit: www.live7tv.com **07** Kolkata, Sunday 16 February 2025

Forced displacement in Gaza Vance accuses European politicians 'pure brutality': Erdogan

MI News Ankara: Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdogan strongly condemned any forced displacement in Gaza, calling it "pure brutality" and completely unacceptable.

Speaking to journalists on his flight from visits to Malaysia, Indonesia, and Pakistan, Erdogan said on Friday that the US "is making a serious miscalculation regarding our region."

He emphasised that it was crucial not to adopt an approach that disregards the history, values, and accumulated experience of the region. He also warned that ignoring the suffering there

Bolivia's heavy rains claim 28 lives as death toll rises MI News Service, La Paz : The death toll due to heavy rains in Bolivia since Novem-

ber last year has risen to 28, said Juan Carlos Calvimontes, vice civil defence minister, on Friday.

The rains have affected eight of the country's nine Administrative divisions. "We are talking about 83 municipalities affected, and I am sure that within a week many of them will declare themselves in disaster," the official told a press conference.

So far, 27 municipalities have declared themselves in a state of emergency, of which 22 belong to La Paz, the Administrative division hardest hit by the climate.

According to the government, the deaths were caused by floods in the departments of Chuquisaca (south), La Paz (west), Tarija (south), Cochabamba (centre), Santa Cruz (east), and Potosi (southwest). In addition, four people remain missing, three of them in the north of La Paz and one in Chuquisaca.

The National Meteorology and Hydrology Service predicted that the rains will persist in the coming weeks, possibly extending until March and April.

Qatar's Amir Tamim Bin Hamad Al-Thani to visit India on Feb 17-18

MI News Service, New Delhi: Amir of Qatar, Tamim Bin Hamad Al-Thani, will pay a state visit to India on February 17-18 at the invitation of Prime Minister Narendra Modi, the Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) announced on Saturday. The statement noted that the Amir will be accompanied by a high-level delegation, including Ministers, senior officials, and a business delegation. This will be his second visit to India, the first being in March 2015. The Amir will be accorded a ceremonial welcome at Rashtrapati Bhawan on February 18. During his visit, he will hold discussions with President Droupadi Murmu, who will also host a banquet in his honour. He will also hold talks with Prime Minister Narendra Modi, covering bilateral relations, trade, investment, energy, and regional issues, the MEA mentioned. India and Qatar have deep-rooted historical ties of friendship, trust and mutual respect. Éarlier this year, External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar visited Doha for his first diplomatic engagement of 2025, where he met Qatar's Prime Minister and Foreign Minister Mohammed bin Abdulrahman Al Thani Following the meeting in a post on X, Jaishankar said, "I am Delighted to meet PM and FM Mohammed bin Abdulrahman Al Thani in Doha today. This is my first diplomatic engagement in 2025. We will have a productive review of our bilateral cooperation and a wide-ranging discussion on re-cent regional and global developments." In recent years, the ties between the two countries including in the areas of trade, investment, energy, technology, culture and people-to-people ties have continued to strengthen, the MEA noted. Further, the MEA in its statement added that the Indian community residing in Qatar forms the largest expatriate community of Qatar, and is appreciated for its positive contribution in the progress and development of Qatar. The visit of the Amir will provide further momentum to our growing multifaceted partnership.



Erdogan

If Trump can truly convince Putin to stop Ukraine

aggression, it's great news: French Prez Macron

peans, will need to strength-

and become more autono-

mous. France will fully play

its role in accelerating this

process. A stronger and

more sovereign Europe, let's

said that he had a "pro-ductive conversation" with

Macron and emphasised

the importance of develop-

ing a joint strategy with the US and Europe for a "just

In a post on X, Zelenskyy

wrote, "I had a productive conversation with French

President @EmmanuelMa-

cron. I informed him about

today's meeting with U.S. Vice President J.D. Vance

and my recent phone call

"We must develop a joint strategy with the U.S. and

Europe to bring about a just

with President Trump."

Meanwhile, Zelenskyy

make it happen now.

peace.

en our collective security

would not benefit Washing-There is no place in this region for an 'I did it, so it's ton, Xinhua news agency reported. done' approach," he said.

Erdogan called on US the humanitarian and le-President Donald Trump to gal concerns surrounding honor his pre-election promthe ongoing crisis, stressed ises by pursuing peace rather than war.

MI News Service, Paris:

French President Emmanu-

el Macron held discussions

with Ukrainian President

Volodymyr Zelenskyy and

said that if US President

Donald Trump can "truly

convince" President Vladi-

mir Putin to stop the aggres-

sion against Ukraine, will be

emphasised that if this hap-

pens, then Ukrainians alone

can lead the discussions for

Sharing a post on X, Ma-cron wrote, "I just spoke with President @Zelensky-

yUa. If President @realDon-

aldTrump can truly convince

President Putin to stop the

aggression against Ukraine,

that is great news. Then, it

will be the Ukrainians alone

who can drive the discus-

sions for a solid and lasting

peace. We will help them in

"solid and lasting peace."

Macron on Friday further

a "great news.'

that respects international law and human rights, and reaffirmed Turkiye's commitment to advocating for Palestinian rights on the international stage.

"It is crucial to ensure the protection of the Palestinian people and to seek a fair solution. Turkiye has always defended Palestinian rights and has actively worked to draw attention to this issue on the international platform. Our efforts in securing ceasefires cannot be denied," the president said.

"Any steps taken must be in line with the will of the Palestinian people and should offer a truly fair resolution," he said.

discussed many key issues,

including security guaran-

tees and France's concrete

Ukraine without Ukraine,"

Wednesday (local time) held

with his Russian counterpart

Vladimir Putin and revealed

that he had a productive

phone call with him. They

agreed to kick-start negoti-

ations aimed at ending the

conflict in Ukraine imme-

diately. Trump said that he

and Putin agreed to have

their respective teams start

negotiations immediately

and begin by calling Ukraine

President Zelenskyy regard-

telephone conversation

Trump

on

he added.

Notably,

the need for a fair solution

highlighted

MI News Washington DC: U.S. Vice President JD Vance on Friday took a swipe at European governments for what he described as their censorship of free speech and their political opponents, while largely avoiding the question of how to resolve the

Ukraine war. Speaking to European political leaders, military officers and diplomats at the Munich Security Conference, Vance surprised the audience by dismissing the risk of Russian political interference in Europe, taking a similar stance to U.S. President Donald Trump, who has railed against claims by U.S. intelligence agencies that Russia had interfered on his behalf in the 2016 election.

Vance adopted a confrontational tone, accusing European politicians of what he said was a fear of their own people and warned them that the real threat against

of censoring free speech from Russia or China.

"The threat I worry the most about vis-à-vis Europe is not Russia, it's not China, it's not any other external actor. What I worry about is the threat from within, the retreat of Europe from some its most fundamental values, values shared with the United States of America," Vance said.

The future of Ukraine was at the top of the agenda in Munich after a phone call between Trump and Russian leader Vladimir Putin this week where they pledged to work together to end the conflict, but Vance did not

bring it up. Instead, he said Brussels had shut down social me-dia over hateful content, and criticized Germany for what he described as raids against its own citizens for posting anti-feminist comments, Sweden for convicting a Christian activist, and

MI

United Kingdom for backsliding on religious rights. A Reuters reporter in one of the side rooms where more delegates could listen to Vance said people appeared stunned and did not applaud. The vice president's speech sparked immediate criticism in Europe. "Vance's attack on European democracy in Munich, perversely twisting the language of democracy itself should leave

no doubt whatsoever that the aim of this administration is to destroy the EU and its liberal democracies," said Nathalie Tocci, director of Istituto Affari Internazionali think tank. Responding to Vance's speech, German Defense Minister Boris Pistorius told the conference: "If I understood him correctly he is comparing parts of Europe with authoritarian regimes. This is not acceptable.

China tightens grip on Tibetan Buddhism Four dead as van with new law intensifying state control

MI News Service, At least four people lost their lives, and ten others sustained injuries when a van carrying pilgrims overturned in Nawabshah, ARY News reported.

The accident occurred on Amri Road when the speeding van, en route to Sehwan Sharif, lost control and overturned. Rescue teams arrived at the scene, and police confirmed that deceased and injured the had been transported to a nearby hospital for medical

Authorities have yet to determine the exact cause of the accident, but initial re-

Ada Gajiyani area. Rescue

Similarly, on December 30, 2024, at least 10 people lost their lives in a devastating bus crash near Punjab's Fateh Jang area. The bus travelling on the M-14 motorway from Bahawalpur to Islamabad, met with a fatal accident near Fateh Jang. Seven others were injured and were taken to Tehsil Headquarters Hospital for medical attention, ARY News reported. According to the Motorway Police, negligence on the part of the bus driver was the primary cause of that accident.

News Service. Dharamshala: The State Administration for Religious Affairs, China's primary body overseeing recognised religions, introduced an updated version of the Measures for the Administration

of Tibetan Buddhist Temples on December 1, 2024. According to a report by the Tibetan Centre for Human Rights and Democracy (TCHRD), the new law--adopted in September 2024 and enacted on January 1, 2025--"greatly increased state control over Tibetan religious practice by integrating political directives into Tibetan religious administration.

To further entwine religious practice with state ideology, the amendment "adds explicit political conditions. By making these demands legally binding, the CCP these measures undermine regulated strengthens its hold over China's legal protections, iron fist."

monasteries and clergy," the TCHRD report stated.

specifically Article 36 of the Constitution, which "ex-The report highlighted at to "'create a strong pressly grants citizens the right to freedom of religious that to sense of community for the Chinese nation,' Tibetan Buddhists are subtly under belief," and Article 11 of the **Regional National Autonomy** Law. These actions, it stated, "are a part of the larger pressure to integrate their unique culture and identistate efforts to integrate Tity into the prevailing Han Chinese framework." This betan spiritual and cultural identity into the dominant policy aligns with China's Han identity." broader efforts to assimilate "The Chinese government has significantly escalated its suppression of religious Tibetan culture and "fits in with the CCP's overarching objective of sinicising relifreedom in Tibet in the last

gion. The updated Measures for the Administration of Tibetan Buddhist Temples enforce "political loyalty criteria in administration, religious therefore methodically enforcing the Chinese Communist Party's ideological grip over Tibetan Buddhism.' TCHRD outlined how

decade," said Dawa Tashi, a researcher at TCHRD. Through coercive 'patriotic education' campaigns designed to instil loyalty, strict control over monastic institutions, and widespread arbitrary arrests and detentions, authorities have tightened their grip. Today, religion in Tibet is not just regulated--it is ruled with an

131 Pakistanis deported from 12 countries for legal offences

Service. MI News Karachi: 131 Pakistani nationals have been expelled from 12 different countries due to various legal violations, since earlier on Friday, including drug-related

for alleged involvement in drug trafficking and violating employment agreements by leaving jobs without prior notice. The United Arab Emirates (UAE) also deported several Pakistani

Cambodia, Bahrain, Azerbaijan, Iraq, and Mexico. Furthermore, in a separate incident, two individuals suspected of human smuggling were deported from Mauritania and Senegal, as

this endeavor." He added, "And we, Europeace and sit all at the ne-gotiation table together. We ing the conversation Muhammad Yunus, Elon Musk hold talks to bring Starlink Internet to Bangladesh

MI News Service, Bangladesh: Bangla-

desh's Chief Adviser, Professor Muhammad Yunus on Friday said that he has discussed with Tesla CEO Elon Musk on a potential collaboration to launch Starlink satellite internet service in Bangladesh.

Sharing a post on X on Saturday, the Chief Adviser of the Government of Bangladesh wrote, "Had great meeting with Mr Elon Musk. We agreed to work together, hoping to launch Starlink in Bangladesh soon together with him.'



vices, underscoring the significance of this initiative for national development, to which Musk responded positively. "I look forward to it,"

Musk said. Present in the discussion between Musk and Yunus were Khalilur Rahman, High Representative for the Rohingya crisis and priority issues, and Lamiya Morshed, Principal Coordinator of SDGs, on the Bangladesh side, and Lauren Dreyer, Vice President and Richard Griffiths, Global Engagement Adviser from Space clon Musk to visit Ban-gladesh for the potential sation, Yunus and Musk launch of Starlink ser- emphasised the transfor-

mational impact of Starlink's satellite communications, particularly for Bangladesh's enterprising youth, rural and vulnerable women and remote communities.

They also discussed high-speed, lowhow cost internet connectivity could bridge the digital divide in Bangladesh, empowering education, healthcare, and economic development in under-

proposals. It is crucial that we share the same vision carrying pilgrims of what a just end to this war should look like. I apoverturns preciate France's efforts for our collective security and its commitment to the principle: "Nothing about

Nawabshah:

assistance.

ports suggest that the driver may have been speeding. The identities of the victims have not yet been disclosed. This tragic incident follows a series of recent road accidents in Pakistan. On January 5, at least three people were killed in a separate accident near the

sources reported that more than 20 others were injured in that collision and were transported to the nearest hospital for treatment, reported ARY News.

oliences, illegal entry, and failure to comply with employment regulations, The News International reported. Authorities in multiple nations carried out these deportations, citing breaches of local laws, with some individuals facing immediate removal upon arrival. According to immigration sources, Saudi Arabia led the deportations, sending back 74 Pakistani citizens

extensive video discussion with Musk, the founder of SpaceX, Tesla, and X to make further progress in introducing Starlink satellite to enhance internet service in Bangladesh. Professor Yunus also extended an invitation to

served regions and giving its millions of small and micro-entrepreneurs access beyond the national boundary, the Chief Adviser of the Government of Bangladesh said in a press release.

Yunus stated that integrating Starlink's connectivity into Bangladesh's infrastructure would create new opportunities for millions and integrate the country more closely into the global digital econo-

ov, 29, a dual citizen of Is-

rael and Russia was abduct-

ed on October 7 from his

family home in kibbutz Nir

Oz, where he was visiting

that Saturday together with his girlfriend Sapir Cohen.

Hamas terrorists murdered

his father and took the re-

maining four family mem-

Sagui Dekel-Chen, 36, is

one of three American cit-

izens who was believed to

be still alive at the begin-

ning of the ceasefire. Also

a resident of Kibbutz Nir

Oz, Dekel-Chen managed to

keep his wife, Avital, seven

months pregnant on October

7 safe alongside with his two

daughters while his mother,

who was injured, played

dead to survive. He will be

seeing his third daughter for

Yair Horn, 46, was ab-

with Yair's release as Eitan,

38, will not be among the

hostages the terrorists will

release in the first phase of

bers captive.

the first time.

the deal.

nationals, charging them with illegal entry, theft, and drug-related offences.

per reports by The News International.

Upon their return to Pa-In one case, a person was kistan, 16 deportees were denied entry upon arrival transferred to the Federal and immediately sent back Investigation Agency's (FIA) Anti-Human Trafficking Circle for further inquiry. to Pakistan, while another individual was deported from the UAE following al-Meanwhile, six individuals legations of attempting to take their own life. Apart from these two major deporting nations, other Pakistani nationals

were handed over to law enforcement agencies in Larkana, Kalat, Gujranwala, Sahiwal, and Rawalpindi for additional investigation into their cases

UAE launches landmark \$60 million initiative to expand Israel Defense Force announces return of accessible education for visually impaired students in Ethiopia three hostages after 498 days in captivity MI News Service, Abu

Dhabi: Under the directives of UAE President Sheikh Mohamed bin Zayed Al Nahyan, the UAE announced a new USD 60 million initiative from the Khalifa Bin Zayed Al Nahyan Foundation for the development of schools to support the educational needs of visually impaired students across Ethiopia.

This initiative will be led by the Khalifa Bin Zayed Al Nahyan Foundation, a portfolio entity of Erth Zayed Philanthropies, in collab-oration with the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia. It builds on the success of the Sheikha Fatima bint Mubarak School for the Blind in Addis Ababa, which was inaugurated in May 2024

The agreement was signed by Mohamed Haji AlKhoori, Director-General of the Khalifa Bin Zayed Al Nahyan Foundation, in the presence of Sheikh Shakhboot bin Nahyan Al Nahyan, Minister of State and member of the Board of Trustee of Erth Zayed Philanthropies, along with Zinash Tayachew, First Lady of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia, among other dignitaries.

With an estimated 1.2 million visually impaired



were expelled from Oman,

individuals in Ethiopia, inforce integration.

cluding 332,000 classified Sheikh Theyab bin Moas blind, this initiative dihamed bin Zayed Al Nahyrectly addresses a pressan, Deputy Chairman of the ing humanitarian need by Presidential Court for Develreaching rural areas where opment and Fallen Heroes' educational and healthcare Affairs, Chairman of the services remain limited. International Humanitarian Ethiopia also has one of the and Philanthropic Council, highest global rates of traand Chairman of the Board choma, a preventable eye of Trustees of Erth Zayed disease that disproportion-Philanthropies, said, "The ately affects underserved UAE remains dedicated to communities. With the supsupporting people of deterport of the Ethiopian Min-istry of Education, the new mination worldwide. A key element is ensuring that schools will serve as centres visually impaired students of excellence, integrating in Ethiopia can access incutting-edge assistive techspiring and inclusive learnnologies, specialised curricing environments that meet ula, and tailored vocational their specialised needs, thereby enabling them to reach their full potential. programmes to empower visually impaired students with the skills necessary for This initiative represents the higher education and workshared commitment by the

UAE and Ethiopia to ensure that everyone, regardless of the challenges they may face, can thrive in an inclusive and equitable global so-

ciety." Sheikh Shakhboot bin Nahyan Al Nahyan said, "The UAE has long recognised that sustainable development and strategic collaboration are the key drivers of lasting change. This initiative reflects our unwavering commitment to uplifting communities, creating economic opportunities, and expanding access to essential services. Our partnership furthers the vision of African states to invest in education as a catalyst for future prosperity, empowering youth to realise their full potential and drive sustainable growth."

MI News Service, Tel Aviv: The Israel Defence Forces (IDF) on Saturday announced the return of three hostages--Alexandre, Sagui, and Iair-- after 498 days in

captivity. The IDF confirmed that the hostages are being accompanied by IDF and Israel Security Agency (ISA) forces as they make their way back to Israeli territory. Upon arrival, they will undergo an initial medical assessment.

finally home."

In another post, it wrote, "The 3 returning hostages are currently being accom-

Sharing a post on X, IDF wrote, "After 498 days, Alexandre, Sagui and Iair are

ported. Alexandre Sasha Trufan-

panied by IDF and ISA forces on their return to Israeli territory, where they will undergo an initial medical assessment. The IDF salutes and embraces the returning hostages as they make their

way home to the State of Israel.

ducted from Kibbutz Nir Oz It added, "According to together with his younger brother, Eitan, who had come to visit him on that information communicated by the Red Cross, 3 hostages were transferred to them day from Kfar Saba in cenand are on their way toward tral Israel. Their family IDF and ISA forces in Gaza." made Aliyah from Argenti-In Tel Aviv, the release of na. For Yair and Eitan's parents, the ordeal will not end

the three men was greeted with cheers from the crowd that had gathered at the Square, TPS re-Hostages'

For TV, e-paper & news visit: www.live7tv.com **Morning India**

SUNDAY, KOLKATA, FEBRUARY 16, 2025

SPORTS & GAME

ICC Champions Trophy 2025: Where to watch, LIVE streaming details explained

ith only days to go before the ICC Champions Trophy 2025 tees off in Pakistan and the UAE, cricket fever is at its peak. It will feature eight teams split into two groups of four, with the top two from each group entering the semifinals.

()>

Pakistan will be hosting an ICC event for the first time since 1996, when it cohosted the ODI World Cup along with India and Sri Lanka. The matches will be in Karachi, Lahore and played Rawalpindi.

The hosts will take on New Zealand in the tournament opener.



However, owing to security concerns, India will play all their matches in Dubai. The Rohit Sharma-led side will begin their campaign on February 20 against Bangladesh

 \oplus

ICC Champions Trophy 2025: LIVE telecast in India and LIVE streaming details Cricket buffs can watch the tournament via ICC.tv and listen to the free audio via the ICC match centre globally.

Or, you can watch it on Star Sports, which is the official broadcaster for the ICC Champions Trophy 2025 in India.

In India, JioHotstar will be streaming the ICC Champions Trophy 2025 matches

for free, and will be complemented by four multi-cam feeds. The coverage will also include the Indian Sign Language feed and Audio Descriptive Commentary. The vertical feed (MaxView), too, will be available.

ICC Champions Trophy 2025: Where to watch in Pakistan and the UAE In Pakistan, fans will be able to watch

it via PTV and Ten Sports, and digitally through the Myco and Tamasha apps. In the United Arab Emirates and the entire MENA region, all matches will be broadcast on CricLife MAX and CricLife MAX2. with streaming available on STARZPLAY



Tennis: Jannik Sinner gets three-month ban after doping case settlement

Top-ranked tennis star Jannik Sinner has accepted a threemonth ban in a settlement with the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) over his two positive doping tests.

WADA had challenged a decision last year by the International Tennis Integrity Agency not to suspend Sinner for what it judged was accidental contamination by a banned anabolic steroid last March.

"Mr Sinner will serve his peri-

od of ineligibility from 9 February

2025 to 11:59 pm on 4 May 2025

WADA said in a statement. "Mr

Sinner may return to official train-

ing activity from 13 April 2025," it

added. WADA has formally with-

drawn its appeal to CAS after they

won the Australian Open in

January, will be eligible to com-

pete in the next Grand Slam. The

WADA had originally appealed the ITIA's ruling to the Court of

Arbitration for Sport in Lausanne,

Switzerland. It sought to ban him

from the sport for at least one

French Open begins May 25.

The 23-year-old Italian, who

had been accepted.

reached a settlement.

for Sinner. Binaghi adds that the settle-Sinner's explanation that trace amounts of Clostebol in his doping ment demonstrates Jannik's innosample was due to a massage cence and that all of Italy will welfrom a trainer who used the subcome him back at the Italian stance after cutting his own finger Open

The ITIA said it acknowledged the settlement but in its statement Saturday reiterated that we were satisfied that the player had established the source of the prohibited substance and that the breach was unintentional. Today's outcome supports this finding.

The suspension is from

Sinner could return at his

Italian Tennis and Padel

home tournament, the Italian

Open in Rome, which starts May

Federation president Angelo Binaghi noted that while the case

was a shameful injustice, the ban

will mark the end of a nightmare

February 9 to May 4.

Sinner's London-based lawyer, Jamie Singer commented: I am delighted that Jannik can finally put this harrowing experience behind him. WADA has confirmed the facts determined by the Independent Tribunal. It is clear that Jannik had no intent, no knowledge, and gained no competitive advantage. Regrettably, errors made by members of his team led to this situation.

SPORTS MINISTER MANDAVIYA. WELLNESS **INFLUENCERS TO JOIN 'FIT INDIA** SUNDAYS ON **CYCLE' EVENTS**

NEW DELHI [INDIA] : Union

NEW ZEALAND TRIUMPH OVER PAKISTAN IN TRI-NATION FINAL. CLIMB ICC ODI RANKINGS

KARACHI [PAKISTAN] : New Zealand secured a five-wicket victory over Pakistan in the trination series final in Karachi. strengthening their position in the ICC Men's ODI team rankings, as per Wisden.

Chasing a target of 243, New Zealand comfortably reached the total in just 45.2 overs, with key contributions from Daryl Mitchell (57), captain Tom Latham (56), Devon Conway (48), Kane Williamson (34), and Glenn Phillips (20*). Despite a recent dip in form, Latham played a crucial role in guiding his team to victory. However, it was the bowlers who set the stage for

New Zealand's triumph. Pacer Will O'Rourke was the standout performer, claiming 4/43 in 9.3 overs to restrict Pakistan to a modest total. Skipper Mitchell Santner and Michael Bracewell chipped in with two

wickets each, while Nathan Smith and Jacob Duffy took one apiece. This match served as a

prelude to the Champions Trophy 2025, which begins on February 19. The two teams will face off again in the tournament opener at the same venue.

New Zealand's unbeaten run in the series boosted their ICC ODI team rating from 100 to 105, securing them the fourth spot with 4,414 points from 42 matches. Pakistan,

Meet Miraya Dadabhoy, India's equestrian prodigy who can't stop winning at 15!

 ${F}$ rom the tender age of four, Miraya Dadabhoy dreamed of being an equestrienne - a unique passion born out of her love for animals. She accomplished the dream faster than most would have thought, becoming the coun-try's prodigy in the challenging sport at 15.

Chennai-based Miraya began competing actively in 2021. Within just three years, she has achieved what many riders aspire to do in a lifetime. Miraya excels in both dressage (rider and horse 'performing' pre-determined set of movements from memory) and show jumping (riders test their horses' ability to jump over a course of fences at a pre-deter-mined pace). Her achievements in dressage include numerous team gold medals and a series of top placements at events like the National Equestrian Senior

Championship and the Concurs Dressage Nationals. While Miraya continues to train in show jumping, her pri-mary focus in 2024 has been on excelling in dressage, where she has demonstrated exceptional skill and versatility.

Her trophy cabinet is decorated by a team gold at the Junior National Equestrian



Championship in December 2024 and the prestigious title of Best Asian Youth Rider at the FEI World Dressage Challenge, a highly competitive international event. Miraya ranked World No. 5 in youth at the FEI World Dressage Challenge, achieving an impressive score of 72.325%

Four-year-old Miraya fell in love with horses not long after she sat on the elegant creature for the first time. Spending a lot of time around horses has helped her in further sharpening her skills, the teen sensation told the press recently

While focus is pivotal for the sport, it is equally important to learn how to effectively communit the Junior cate with the stallion, she said. Equestrian The animal and rider need to respect each other, which is integral to their bonding. There can be no mistakes when it comes to interpreting the beast's mood, energy level and feelings, she told The New Indian Express while adding that a horse should be treated like a partner or pal by the rider.

body language [of the horse]. The partnership is built on trust and clear communication. So you have to just work on it, and it's a lot of spending time together," she told the daily.

Her short-term goal is to keep doing well in regional, national, and international competitions so that she can earn a world ranking before 2026 arrives. In the long run, she wants to practice under

Shahid Afridi, Chris Gayle, and AB

de Villiers - confirm their particiation in Season 2 of the World

Championship of Legends (WCL).

that goes beyond traditional crick-

In a groundbreaking initiative

"You start to understand the

top coaches and represent India at the highest level including Asian Games and Olympics. With the right support, I

believe I can continue to achieve great things and represent my country at higher levels of international competition," she said.

And she is not standing idly by, waiting for the resources to arrive. Her routines may seem tough for a girl of 15 but Miraya is not a regular child. Her day begins at 5 in the morning when she leaves for the stable. She spends some time with the horse before preparing for her lessons at 6. The training, she says, is all about groundwork, pull work, and stretching.

Acknowledging the youngster's talent and determination, the Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu included Miraya under the High Cash Incentive Scheme for emerging athletes. While she is well aware that there are miles to ride before she and her four-legged friend can afford to rest, Miraya Dadabhoy is happy with how things are at the moment. "My training is very focused, and it's a very professional training environment compared to someone who is riding for fun," she had said.

Cricket legends Yuvraj Singh, Shikhar Dhawan, Aditi lies 20th at the among others rally for WCL Season 2 campaign Saudi Ladies golf

world is set for an extraordinary convergence of talent as five of the sport's most iconic players -Yuvraj Singh, Shikhar Dhawan,

NEW DELHI [INDIA] : The cricket



after losing the final, dropped to third place with a rating of 107

Meanwhile, Australia. despite suffering a shocking 0-2 series defeat against Sri Lanka, climbed back to second with a team rating of 110. Table-toppers India, who recently dominated England with a 3-0 series win at home, lead the rankings with 119 points.





RIYADH [SAUDI ARABIA] : Aditi Indians to have tasted victory on Ashok and Pranavi Urs, making the LET, shot 75 and was T-95. Aditi, teeing off from the tenth, their first appearance on the Ladies European Tour, got off to had an early bogey on the 11th, decent starts at PIF Saudi Ladies but then birdied four times - on the 13th, 15th, first and second. International. Aditi, who opened her season on the LPGA, shot 3-Pranavi opened with a birdie under 69 while Pranavi playing

her first event of the new year,

carded 2-under 70. Both had four

birdies each but Aditi, placed T-

20, dropped just one bogey, while

Pranavi, placed T-32, had two, as

per a release from Ladies

It was a damp morning with rain falling at the start of the

rounds at Riyadh Golf Club, but it

dried up in the middle of the

round before the rain started

European Tour.

on the tenth but dropped shots on the 11th and 17th. She then picked birdies on second, fourth and the fifth. It was not a great start for

Tvesa, who had two birdies on the 17th and the ninth, after teeing off from the tenth. Diksha, two-time winner on the LET, had two birdies, one bogey and a quadruple bogey on the Par-3 eighth. She leads the Individual after

an opening round of 65 (-7). In the Individual competition,

again towards the end of the day. The other two Indians in the Korea's Somi Lee fired an opening field were way behind as Tvesa round of 65 to lead the Individual Malik shot 73 and was T-75 and competition by one stroke on the Diksha Dagar, one of the only two first day.

et, these legends will also serve as mentors in an immersive fan experience program, as stated in a release from WCL. World Championship of Legends (WCL), the only ECB-approved league in

its category, has announced the launch of registrations for its groundbreaking fan engagement program, Live With The Legends (LWL). The initiative offers cricket enthusiasts worldwide a chance to secure a spot in an exclusive 16day, all-expenses-paid UK tour, where 12 selected fans will share living quarters and experiences

with cricket's greatest stars. The Live With The Legends program represents an unprecedented level of access to the sport's elite, featuring exclusive travel and accommodation arrangements alongside cricket legends, behind-the-scenes access to team preparations and matchday activities, VIP access to official WCL events and post-match celebrations, one-on-one interactions with players, professional photo sessions, and signed memorabilia from the teams.

The selection process will unfold across three carefully designed rounds. The first round, running from February 15 to March 15, will test participants through a 15-minute cricket knowledge assessment. Successful candidates will advance to the second round, held from March 16 to April 25, where they must submit a one-minute video showcasing their passion for cricket.

The CEO and Founder of WCL, Harshit Tomar, said that the tournament will increase fan engagement to an unprecedented level.

"Cricket has always been a game of passion and legacy. With Live With The Legends, we are taking fan engagement to an unprecedented level by giving them the chance to live the experience of a professional cricketer. This initiative is a testament to WCL's commitment to celebrating the sport and its greatest ambassadors." Harshit was quoted in a release from WCL as saying.

Registrations are open from February 7 to March 15 on the official WCL website. Cricket enthusiasts globally can apply for this historic opportunity to share space with cricket legends including Yuvraj Singh, Shikhar Dhawan, Suresh Raina, Shahid Afridi, Brett Lee, Chris Gayle, Moeen Ali, AB de Villiers, and others who have defined the modern era of cricket.

Minister Mansukh Mandaviya will be joining a diverse group of riders in Mumbai at the Fit India Sundays on Cycle event on Sunday, February 16. Taking forward the theme of 'Fight Obesity', the cycling drive in Mumbai will see the ride taking place from Gateway of India to Girgaon Chowpatty, 7 am onwards, as per a press release from the Sports Authority of India (SAI) Media. Featuring alongside the Sports Minister in the cycling event will be Dr Micky Mehta, Life Coach and Fit India Ambassador, Shaina Nana Chudasama, Indian Fashion Designer and Social Worker, Dr Bhairavi Naik Joshi, Director and CEO at BYCS India Foundation, Krishna Prakash, IPS Additional Director General of Police Maharashtra and Sanjay Bhatia, IAS Upa-Lokayukta, Maharashtra State will also be joining in with lifestyle wellfrom ness coaches Maharashtra Yoga Associations and Heartfulness Institute. The cycling drive will also be held across multiple locations across the country simultaneously. Shivani Pawar, Bronze medalist at the 2024 Senior Asian Wrestling Championship and 2025 National Games Gold medalist, will be joining the cycling event in New Delhi, 8 am onwards. Representatives from Decathlon, Cult.Fit, Sports Authority of India National Centre of Sports Sciences and Research (NCSSR) and wellness coaches from Yogasana Bharat will also be a part of the group of cyclists in the national capital. The start and end point of the cycling ride this Sunday at the national capital is the Major Dhyanchand Stadium.

The cycling drive is conducted pan-India on Sundays. Events are simultaneously held nationwide at SAI Regional Centres, National Centres of Excellence (NCOEs) and the Khelo India centres (KICs).

RCB rope in Sneh Rana as Shreyanka's replacement for WPL 2025

MUMBAI (MAHARASHTRA) : Indian spin bowling all-rounder Sneh Rana has been roped in by Royal Challengers Bengaluru (RCB) as an injury replacement for Shreyanka Patil, who has been ruled out of the ongoing third edition of the Women's Premier League (WPL) due to an injury

WPL issued a statement announcing the same. Rana, who went unsold in the WPL auction last year, has joined defending champions RCB for Rs 30 lakh

"Royal Challengers Bengaluru (RCB) on Saturday picked Sneh Rana as a replacement for Shreyanka Patil for the remainder of the TATA Women's Premier League (WPL) 2025. Shreyanka, who has played 15 matches for RCB and has scalped 19 wickets, is ruled out of the third edition of the WPL due to an injury. Rana, who is an

MYK 📕 📕 🖉 🥌

all-rounder, has previously played for Gujarat Giants (GG) in the TATA WPL. She joins RCB for INR 30 Lakh," said a statement from WPL.

Patil, 22, was one of RCB's brightest young stars during their historic title-winning campaign last year, marking their first trophy across both men's and women's franchise cricket. She took 13 wickets in eight matches at an average of 12.07, with the best figure of 4/12, which came during the final against Delhi Capitals.

She has also played three ODIs and 16 T20Is for India, taking five wickets at an average of 27.00 and 20 wickets at an average of 19.20 respectively. She is also a useful lower-order batter.

Sneh has represented India in all formats since her debut in 2014, having played four Tests, 27 ODIs and 25 T201s, in which she has taken 23 wickets at an average of 20.95, 29



 \bigcirc

wickets at an average of 34.44 and 24 scalps at an average of 21.75. With two international half-centuries, she is also a capable batter.

RCB started their WPL 2025 campaign with a thumping win against Gujarat Giants (GG) at Vadodara on Friday. After a fiery 79* in 37 balls (with three fours and eight sixes) from Ashleigh Gardner and half-century by Beth Mooney (56 in 42 balls, with eight fours) took GG to 201/5 in their 20 overs, RCB overcame two early wickets with a stabilising partnership between Raghvi Bisht (25 in 27 balls, with three fours) and Ellyse Perry (57 in 34 balls, with six fours and two sixes), before an explosive 93 run stand in 37 balls between Richa Ghosh (64* in 27 balls, with seven fours and four boundaries) and Kanika Ahuja (30* in 13 balls) helped them to a sixwicket win with nine balls left.